

MASONS CONFER HIGH DEGREES ON SEN. HARDING

President-elect Goes To
Columbus To Receive
Honors
HOLDS CONFERENCE
Speculation Rife as to Se-
lection of Secretary
Of Labor.

Marion, O., Jan. 5.—Warren G. Harding, master mason, laid aside affairs of state today to take up the square and the compass of ancient free and accepted masonry. He left here early today for Columbus where he will receive the masonic degrees from the fourth to the thirty second, under the auspices of the Scioto Valley consistory. Four of these degrees, according to the program, will be conferred and the remainder will be communicated.

A group of 32nd degrees masons from Marion accompanied the candidate carrying with them a masonic ring, to be presented to him when the fraternal bonds shall have been added to those friendship already existing.

Before the departure, the president-elect held brief conference with Fred W. Upham, treasurer of the Republican national committee and Clarence M. Woolley of the American Radiator company who discussed the business and labor situation.

The visit yesterday of W. N. Doak, regarded as the representative of the four railroad brotherhoods, has caused increased speculation as to the probable selection of a secretary of labor. Doak's declaration that the wage earners of the country felt that the man chosen should "carry a union card" has placed emphasis on the candidacy of President John Lewis of the United Mine Workers and has added the names of W. G. Lee of Chicago, James O'Connell of Pennsylvania and others to the list supposed to be under the consideration.

Free predictions made by both labor leaders and employees of possible industrial strife have lent importance to the labor appointment, as it is felt a selection not antagonistic to either organized labor or employers would go far in averting discord.

Doak stated when asked about possible labor troubles that the brotherhoods were concerned exclusively with their own affairs and contemplated no sympathetic strikes whatever.

Senator Harding prepared for his experiences as a Masonic neophyte by aiding last night in initiating a number of candidates into Canby lodge No. 51 Knights of Pythias of which he is a member.

SEVERAL THOUSAND THEATRICAL FOLK ARE UNEMPLOYED

As Result of Road Fail-
ures Many Are
Stranded.

New York, Jan. 5.—Five thousand actors and actresses are unemployed in this city and many others are stranded at distant points, victims of wide-spread failure of road companies during the last year.

This statement was made by the Actors' Equity Association which announced it had undertaken the task of succoring the unfortunate stage folk, especially those thrown upon their own resources in distant cities.

The greater proportion of road failures the association asserted was due to irresponsible managers, who entered the profession during the World War, when the financing of theatrical projects comparatively was easy.

From September, 1919, to the end of 1920 more than 30 companies failed while on the road, the statement said.

WARNS AGAINST REPRISAL

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 5.—In his message to the Democratic Legislature today, Governor A. H. Roberts urged that no reprisal legislation be attempted against the incoming Republican Governor. The date of the inauguration this month has not been fixed.

"\$10 ENOUGH FOR INAUGURATION"—BORAH

Washington, Jan. 5.—"Why is an inaugural ball—and if so, how much? That's the riddle propounded by Senator Borah, who is 'dead agin' the proposal to revive the inaugural ball on March 4 with all its old time brilliancy and splendor. Four years ago \$70,000 was appropriated for the inaugural ceremonies. This year it is said the expense will reach \$100,000. 'I would like to limit the amount to be spent to \$10, which is enough money to pay the President's automobile fare to the Capitol and back,' says Senator Borah.

And if the Senator finds his ears tingling with such warmth that on the coldest day this Winter, he'll know the reason. Fair society maids and matrons are all talking and think his opposition to the bill is "just horrid."

SENATE CHAPLAIN BECOMES PASTOR OF TENN. CHURCH



Rev. Forrest J. Prettyman, chaplain of the U. S. senate, has been appointed pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, of Knoxville, Tenn. He has been senate chaplain since 1913.

PACIFIC FLEET ON WAY TO PANAMA FOR MANEUVERS

Will Meet Atlantic Squad-
ron For Battle Prac-
tice.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 5.—The vanguard of the Pacific fleet has steamed south for the winter maneuvers off Panama, where the Pacific and Atlantic fleets will meet for battle practice and athletic contests.

By noon Friday nearly half of the Pacific fleet, about forty vessels will be heading for the tropics.

The vessels which left here were the hospital ship Mercy and the tugs Sonoma and Ontario. The cruiser New York which left San Pedro was to join them off this port.

The fleet leaving here Friday will join the battleship fleet from San Pedro and San Francisco 25 miles off this port.

About forty vessels will still be based at San Diego harbor while the fleet is south.

Returning north the warships will again be in American waters March 8, according to present schedule.

The 14 airplanes and the conveying vessels enroute to Panama since Thursday will resume flight to Acapulco. They are laying over at Banderas bay, where the two giant NC type planes joined the twelve F-5-L planes late Monday after a fast trip across the gulf of California from Magdalena Bay. Today's trip will be 439 miles.

UNION OF AUSTRIA HUNGARY AGITATED

London, Jan. 5.—A coup d'etat is believed imminent in Hungary and Austria when former Emperor Charles will be invited to return to the throne, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Rome today quoting reports received in that city from Budapest. It added that the plotters intend to declare a union of Hungary and Austria.

OUTCASTS MAKE CANADIAN COLONY

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—The Ottawa Journal published a story that Oscar Tokoi, former Premier of Finland and in 1918 condemned to death by the Russian Soviet Government, had settled on a farm at North Temiskamint with 39 fellow exiles.

These men, the newspaper says, have formed a small colony after having been sent to Canada, where they received farm land from the British Government.

Tokoi was head of the Finnish Diet when Kerensky was Premier of Russia under the early revolution. He was deposed and became a political exile.

WAR FINANCE CORPORATION MACHINERY AGAIN SET IN MOTION BY ACTION OF U. S. CONGRESS

SINN FEINERS ARE REPORTED KILLED IN SEVERE FIGHT

Irish Battle British Police
Near Meelin, Re-
port.

London, Jan. 5.—Sixteen Sinn Feiners were reported today to have been killed in a battle with British soldiers or policemen near Meelin, Ireland.

The first report of the fighting was said to be official but later the Irish office announced that it had no confirmation of it.

According to unconfirmed reports an attempt had been made to ambush the crown forces. The remaining members of the attacking party were said to have been captured and all their arms and ammunition confiscated.

MAUDE ADAMS WILL RETURN TO STAGE EARLY NEXT FALL

Denial Made That Actress
Has Retired Perma-
nently.

New York, Jan. 5.—Reports that Maude Adams had retired permanently from the stage were met last night with the announcement by A. L. Erlanger and Charles B. Dillingham that she would make a reappearance under their management early next fall.

"Miss Adams has never had any intention of giving up her work as an actress," the announcement said. "She is at present in splendid health, having completely recovered from the illness that compelled her to abandon her tour in the autumn of 1915."

It was explained that in addition to appearing in regular productions each fall, Miss Adams would be seen every spring in Shakespeare and other classics.

FORMER BASEBALL PLAYER USES SKILL TO FELL BURGLAR

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 5.—"Ah wants what's in dat cash register," demanded John Moore, 23, Louisville, Ky., negro, pointing a huge pistol at Edward Sheldon, manager of a Folz grocery on Third Street.

"There it is, take it," replied Sheldon.

The would-be robber started to carry out the cash register when Sheldon, who is a baseball catcher, threw a two pound weight at the negro striking him on the head and felling him. The negro attempted to rise and Sheldon threw another weight which landed on the negro's skull. A third weight found a lodging place on the black's "hardest spot," and he lay unconscious with his skull fractured. Hospital physicians say Moore is dying.

NO NAVAL ALLIANCE WITH CANADA, SAID

Washington, Jan. 5.—The United States has no plans for a naval alliance with Canada on the Pacific, Secretary of the Navy Daniels stated today.

FOUR AUTO BANDITS RAID LOAN BANK

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Four auto bandits made a daring raid on the Nathan Swartz bank in North Clark street, here today and escaped with money and jewelry, valued at several thousand dollars.

Reports current in London have stated that a newly created Canadian navy is to co-operate with the United States navy in the Pacific, using American naval bases. These reports are entirely unfounded, Secretary Daniels said.

WOULD ESTABLISH CAMPS OF THE LARGE DIVISIONAL CAMPS OF THE ARMY, NEAR LARGE CITIES, WAS ADVOCATED TODAY BY SECRETARY OF WAR BAKER BEFORE THE HOUSE MILITARY AFFAIRS COM- MITTEE ON CAMPS AND CANTONMENTS.

Secretary Houston Begins Work of Reviving Ex- port Loan Plans

WILL ISSUE BONDS Two Members Must Be Added to Corporation to Make Quorum

Washington, Jan. 5.—Secretary of the Treasury Houston summoned his advisors into conference today to determine methods of reviving the export loan operations of the war finance corporation. Sixty or possibly ninety days may elapse before credit machinery can be set up to provide the benefits directed by congress when it passed the measure over the president's veto, officials said.

Plotation of a large issue of corporation bonds to provide credit for shipments of farm products probably will be decided upon. The size of such a bond issue and other details in connection with revival of the corporations export loan functions are to be determined.

An unexpected delay also may appear through the necessity of adding two members to the corporation. When the loan operations were suspended, two vacancies were created. The corporation now has three directors. Revival of the loan work necessitates the filing of the two vacancies, to provide a quorum, under terms of the law creating that body.

Secretary Houston withheld discussion of the extent of the work and the manner of its accomplishment, under the revival measure. With its associates he devoted considerable time today to a study of the provisions of the bill and of the methods that best can be followed to carry out the will of congress.

First there was a review of the corporations affairs showing its current assets to be about \$73,000,000. This represents cash due from the United States treasury, and includes the sale of government obligations to the secretary. But this book balance could not be used to finance export shipments, it was said, unless the treasury decides on such step through sale of a corresponding amount of treasury certificates of indebtedness.

CHILDREN DEFENDED BY ADMIRAL WHO WANTS ADMISSION

Officer Would Adopt Small
Russians; U. S. Officials
Object.

New York, Jan. 5.—Seven Russian children, brought here for adoption by Rear Admiral Newton A. McCully, former American High Commissioner at Sebastopol, were ordered to be excluded from the country by an Immigration Board of Inquiry at Ellis Island.

The order fell like a wet blanket on the hopes of the youngsters and the Rear Admiral, who had played Santa Claus and father to them all the way from their native land on the collier Ramapo. They were to be his wards and his heirs, sharing his home at Washington and enjoying all educational facilities he could give to them.

But the Rear Admiral announced that he would appeal to the Secretary of Labor; that he was ready to file as many as high bonds as would be asked and that he intended to fight to the last ditch for admittance of the children. In the meantime the children will be detained at Ellis Island. The technical exclusion ruling officials was that the children were liable to become public charges.

Three other Russian children are to come to America later for adoption by the Admiral, making his brood 10. This would keep him "busy during all shore leaves," he said as he is a bachelor.

His need in charge of Washington home during his absence, would help him care for the children. Rear Admiral McCully said, adding that he expected she would be "just as tickled as I am."

STATE DEPARTMENT TO PASS ON CASE OF IRISH STOWAWAY

Mayor of Cork May Not
Be Permitted To Stay
in United States.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The state department will determine whether Daniel O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork who arrived in Newport News last night as a stowaway, will be permitted to remain in the United States the immigration bureau of the department of labor announced today.

The department of labor will take no action in the case until complete records have been received here, it was announced.

Peter MacSwiney, brother of the late lord mayor of Cork, who arrived with O'Callaghan, does not come under the jurisdiction of the department of labor as he held a passport issued by an American consul.

GERMAN RAILWAY WORKERS MAY STRIKE

London, Jan. 5.—A majority of the German railwaymen in the Ruhr district and the Rhine Valley have voted in favor of a general strike unless they are granted a wage increase, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Berlin today.

REALISTIC PRESS AGENT STUNT CAUSES TROUBLE

Denver, Colo., Jan. 5.—A "realistic" press agent stunt nearly disrupted the home of Archie Young, a traveling salesman of this city.

A series of postcards containing endearing terms and signed by a woman calling attention to a risk scene in a movie that is expected to show here soon reached Young's home during his absence and were read by his wife. When he returned last night a tragedy was only averted by the arrival of police who explained the nature of the cards to Mrs. Young.

The cards were mailed from St. Louis and have been received in hundreds of homes in the city.

3 MORE ROBBERIES OCCUR IN SPITE OF CLEVELAND POLICE

No More Police Protection
In Sight for Lake
City.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 5.—Despite the redoubled vigor with which the police department is attempting to cope with the wave of crime, three robberies marked the early hours of last night.

Joseph Novogrodsky, a real estate dealer, was robbed of \$10,000 in liberty bonds and a diamond ring, while driving home to dinner last night.

A youth entered a jewelry store at 3770 West 25th street and grabbed a tray of plain gold rings, making his escape.

An armed man entered a confectionary store on Wakefield Ave., N. W. late yesterday, holding up the woman proprietor and securing \$40 from the register.

Meanwhile citizens learned that no increase in the city police force is possible at this time unless funds are provided through means of a loan. To meet the situation an offer was made by American Legion posts to furnish 1,000 members to act as plain clothes policemen.

The chamber of commerce at the same time took steps to ask the enactment of a law providing for a minimum penalty of 20 years for carrying a gun and life imprisonment for stealing an automobile.

TOBACCO GROWERS REFUSE LOW OFFERS; TAKE PRODUCT AWAY

Burley Region Scene Of
Trouble As Prices
Fall.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 5.—With farmers hauling their tobacco away from warehouses and returning it to their barns and every market of importance announced as closing for at least one week, the situation in the central Kentucky tobacco region last night was in a state of uncertainty. Just what will happen none could be found to offer forecast, but growers, buyers and others interested in the crop indicated that they were ready for anything.

Delegations from various important markets in the district visited the Burley Tobacco Growers' Association office here and announced that other places would follow the lead of Lexington.

Farmers' mass meeting in some counties decided to hold the 1920 crop and cut the 1921 crops. Farmers began hauling their tobacco out of the Lexington warehouses, in which there were about 7,700,000 pounds when the sales started.

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CLEVELAND JUDGE ON TRIAL FOR KAGY MURDER



William H. McGannon, Chief Justice of the Municipal Court of Cleveland, Ohio, who is on trial charged with second degree murder in connection with the slaying of Harold S. Kagy last May. McGannon is shown on the witness stand testifying in his own defense. The State's chief witness at the trial, Miss May Neely, a nurse, for sixteen years a friend of McGannon, swore, according to reports from Cleveland, that she saw McGannon shoot Kagy.

WOULD ESTABLISH VOTING MACHINES IN OHIO BOOTHS

Dozen Other Measures Are
Thrown Into House
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Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—Provision for the use of voting machines in Ohio elections is made in a bill introduced in the house by Rep. Speidel, of Montgomery county.

A dozen additional measures were thrown into the house hopper.

Repeal of the non partisan judicial ballot, thereby restoring candidates for judgeships, from the supreme court to municipal courts, to party tickets, is sought in a bill introduced by Rep. Kuhns, of Montgomery county.

One bill, by Rep. Taft, Cincinnati, seeks to permit taxing districts, without a vote of the electorate, to issue deficiency bonds to meet current operating expenses, the interest and sinking fund to retire the bonds being kept inside the Smith one per cent tax law limitations. Similar laws were enacted last year and two years ago.

An initiated bill provides for a separate state board to examine and license chiropractors. The bill is backed by the Ohio Chiropractic Association. A similar measure was defeated at the last legislative session.

A bill requiring the state auditor, instead of private accountants, to audit the books of conservancy districts, including the Miami Conservancy district, was introduced by Rep. Mathews, of Scioto county.

Rep. Burns, of Marietta, introduced bills permitting municipalities, instead of the state, to collect coal and oil rentals from school and municipal lands located in municipalities, and permitting possession of fish nets when not intended for use. The pay of jurors is raised to \$3 from \$2 in a bill introduced by Rep. Bond of Belmont county.

SINN FEINER ARRESTED

Outbreak of Violence at Cork
Follows Extension of
Martial Law

Dublin, Jan. 5.—J. J. Walsh, Sinn Fein member of parliament from Cork city was arrested early today by the British police.

The extension of martial law zone to include the counties of Clare, Waterford, Wexford and Kilkenny and the city of Waterford was followed by an outbreak of violence at Cork. A bomb was thrown while a detachment of policemen were crossing Parnell bridge and six were wounded. The policemen opened fire with rifles and machine guns wounding seven civilians, five of whom are in serious condition in Cork hospitals.

The police were active in Dublin throughout the morning. Black and tans searched all the house in Mill street. All the males were arrested, but later seven of them were released. The families were compelled to give up their firearms.

Cork dispatches report great consternation in that city over the attack at Parnell bridge. Fears were expressed that the British troops would make official reprisals by burning homes.

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BRITISH START NEW PEACE PLAN WITH IRELAND

Lloyd George Agrees to
Deal Directly With
DeValera.

GIVE IRISH CONTROL

English Will Allow Courts
Of Ireland To Hear
Crimes.

London, Jan. 5.—The return of Eamonn DeValera has given an impetus to Irish peace negotiations, according to indications today.

Premier Lloyd George has allowed it to become known that he is ready to treat directly with the "president of the Irish republic," said the Daily Express today. "If the negotiations are arranged they will refer to new amendments to the home rule act granting an extension of powers to the Irish for self government."

London, Jan. 5.—Irish peace negotiations took a most important turn today when the Irish offices announced it would not demand the surrender of alleged Irish murderers before the peace discussions are concluded but instead, will turn over their names and records to the South Ireland parliament, leaving the new Irish government to deal with them.

This was a direct face about from the previous attitude of the British government. The government had previously announced that the Republicans wanted on murder charges would be surrendered before the peace discussions could be continued.

Officials of the Irish office expressed belief that a compromise movement from Eamonn DeValera is imminent.

The south Island parliament has not yet been established. It is provided for in the home rule bill.

Advises from Dublin report that it is probable Dail Eireann, the Sinn Fein parliament, will convene at the end of this week. DeValera is expected to issue a statement within 24 hours addressed to "all Irishmen at home and abroad." The contents have not been revealed.

The suggestion that DeValera advised a compromise with the English government and the acceptance of the home rule bill is authoritatively denied. On the contrary it is stated by Sinn Fein leaders that DeValera is hostile to the home rule act.

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36-38 WEST MAIN STREET

Items of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peggman, of Cincinnati, are guests of Mr. and Charles Jacobs, at 231 East Main street.

Mrs. E. J. Eberly of this city has to Asheville, N. C., to spend the rest of the winter with her son, E. R. Eberly.

Get it at Donges.

M. and Mrs. Mack Krekler of Hamilton, Mrs. Joseph Mullen of Columbus and Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Dean of near Xenia were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mullen of this city.

The Union Meeting of churches will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Friends Church, Chestnut and High streets. Rev. Albert Read, pastor of the First Baptist Church will preach the sermon.

Mrs. James Beven, of Wilmington, who was operated on at McCallan Hospital for appendicitis Monday, is recovering rapidly.

Mrs. Charles A. Davis of North Galway street, returned from Cincinnati Tuesday, and will open the kindergarten Monday, Jan. 10.

Charles Hawkins of the Fairground road, left Monday for Columbus, where he is planning on taking the short course in agriculture, at the Ohio State University.

Miss Loretta Richards left Wednesday to re-enter St. Joseph's on the Ohio, after spending the holidays with her parents in this city.

Mrs. Martin Daly, who has been the guest of Mrs. John Daly and Mrs. James Fletcher, returned to her home in Springfield Tuesday.

Mrs. C. O. Rankin has been confined to her home on East Main street, for several days, suffering from the grip.

D. E. Turner of the Hook road, left Wednesday for Tampa, Fla., where he will spend the remaining winter months.

There will be no prayer meeting at the First Presbyterian Church to night.

Furs Wanted—I will pay higher prices, Saturday for Skunks and Rats. Bring them in. Wm. Marshall.

Miss Margaret O'Connor, who has been spending the holidays in this city has returned to Miami University, Oxford, where she is instructor in Home Economics.

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Mrs. Harry D. Smith has been confined to her home for several days, suffering with tonsillitis and a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zeigfeld of Columbus, Ohio, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clifford of South Galway street.

The Xenia Grange No. 1788 will meet Friday night January 7th at the Junior Hall. All members are urged to be present at 7 o'clock for business meeting. At 8 o'clock the hall will be open to all farmers for the Installation services. Secretary. adv-1-5

Mrs. Patrick Cronin has been ill with pneumonia for about a week, at her home on Maple street, and is now reported as improving.

Mr. John Brennan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Twell, Mr. and Mrs. Ray H. Brennan and relatives desire to express their appreciation of the kindness shown them in their deep bereavement by friends, neighbors and community and gratitude for the beautiful floral emblems of sympathy.

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Regular meeting of Phoenix Rebekah Lodge Thursday, Jan. 6th. Installation. Sec.

The Rev. Father Maurice J. Norbauer who has been spending several weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Norbauer, left Wednesday for Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana, where he will make arrangements for his passage to Bengal, India, where he is planning to leave for soon, to engage in missionary work.

Raymond M. Hering who has been here from Aberdeen, S. Dakota, on a two weeks visit with his brother Claude Hering of Xenia and sister Mrs. J. W. Gerlaugh of Alpha left for the North West Sunday.

Water will be turned off on North King street from Church Street to Fairground Road at 8 o'clock Thursday morning to repair fire plugs.

Xenia Lodge No. 49, F. & A. M. Special Communication, Friday, January 7, 1921, 6 o'clock p. m. Work in the E. A. & F. C. degrees. Visitors welcome. By order of J. W. Gardner, Sr., W. M.

Mrs. John B. Lucas, Wednesday at 2 p. m. was lying at the point of death at her home on Dayton pike, and little hope is felt for her recovery.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Clatt, of Jamestown, are announcing the birth of a daughter, at the McClellan Hospital, Monday.

Ralph Nevitt of Kenton, Ohio, spent the week end with his brother, Sewell Nevitt, in this city.

Society

HOSPITAL SHOWER GIVEN MONDAY

A hospital "shower" was an interesting feature of the January meeting of the Second Auxiliary of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church, held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. L. A. Parrett on West Third street. Supplies amounting to about thirty dollars were received for the use of a hospital in South Dakota.

The program for the evening was in charge of Group Four, with Mrs. Charles Evans, as leader. Those taking part in the program were, Mrs. Quisenberry, Miss Irene Parrett, Miss Agnes Hornick, Mrs. Albert Tullis, and Miss Pauline Sutton.

A report was made to the Society of a Christmas box that had been sent to a student at the McCleskey Home at Boaz, Alabama. The penny collection taken among the fifty people present amounted to \$1.91.

The assisting hostess with Mrs. Parrett were Mrs. Ary, Mrs. Noryke, Mrs. Anders, Mrs. Norekauer, Mrs. Whitmer, Mrs. Coates, Mrs. Sutton, Miss St. John and Miss Hornick, who served hot chocolate and cakes, after which a social hour was enjoyed. The meeting will be held with Mrs. C. L. Spencer.

ARE HOSTESSES AT DANCE AND PARTY.

The ladies of the parish of St. Brigid's Church were hostesses Tuesday evening to a delightful euchre and dance, given in the auditorium of the school. Over one hundred were present, at the affair, and euchre was enjoyed during the evening, nineteen tables being arranged for the game. The first and second prizes for the women were won by Mrs. Werter McKay and Mrs. Charles Carroll, the first prize for the men being won by Charles Roach, and the second by Timothy Canning.

A lunch consisting of hot coffee and sandwiches was served the guests. Later in the evening dancing was enjoyed by the guests.

Several out of town people were present at the affair.

ENTERTAIN WITH SUNDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gerlaugh of Alpha entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests in honor of her brother Raymond and M. Hering of Aberdeen, S. Dakota. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mather and family of Dayton, Miss Anna A. Hering, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hering and children of Xenia.

MARRIAGE OCCURS TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The marriage of Mrs. Luella Sparrow, of Yellow Springs, to Mr. Benjamin F. Mellinger, retired farmer of Yellow Springs, took place Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Wike, at 505 South Monroe street. The Rev. L. V. Simms, of Yellow Springs, officiating.

The couple had no attendants. The bride was attired in gold silk with hat to match. The ceremony was witnessed by Mrs. William Wike, Mrs. Margaret Wike, Mrs. Martha Walters, Rev. and Mrs. L. V. Simms. Following the service a three course supper was served the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Mellinger will make their home in Yellow Springs.

HOLD MEETING OF CLUB TUESDAY.

The Junior Woman's Club held their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Howard Little, on North King street. Following the roll call the paper of the afternoon upon William De Morgan, was offered by Mrs. Harry LeScard.

A vocal solo was given by Mrs. Steele Poague, accompanied by Mrs. William Ruthrauff, with violin obligato by Miss Irene Parrett.

The second paper of the afternoon, "Mormanism," was then discussed, led by Mrs. S. O. Hale.

The next meeting of the Club, will be held January the eighteenth. An election of the ensuing year's officers will be held at this meeting.

ENTERTAINS MEMBERS OF LOCAL SORORITY

Miss Katherine Guilday was hostess to the Phi Gam Epsilon Sorority when she entertained members at her home on South Detroit street, Tuesday evening.

Miss Guilday entertained her guests with contests during part of the evening, and the remainder was employed by the guests with sewing.

A salad course was served by Miss Guilday.

The next meeting of the Sorority will be held at the home of Miss Julia Wolf.

FACES JURY WITH EASY ATTITUDE

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 5.—Elwood B. Wade, 23 milk dealer charged with the murder of George B. Nott, broker, looked his mother and smiled as court convened today. For a few minutes before the bailiff rapped for order, Wade, who looked tired and somewhat worried, soon was talking and laughing with his custodians.

Mrs. Ethel Nott, widow of the slain man, and John E. Johnson, a chum, who are charged with being Wade's accomplices in the murder, were not present when court convened.

Wade soon regained his debonaire attitude. His jaw showed no traces of a deputy sheriff's blow, for the simple reason that Wade was not struck when he leaned over and kissed Mrs. Nott, yesterday as reported.

OLDEST MAN IN THE WORLD ILL FOR FIRST TIME IN 146 YEARS; BLAMES FALSE TEETH

Constantinople, Jan. 5.—For the first time in his life of 146 years, Zora Mehmed, who is said to be the oldest man in the world, is ill.

He is suffering from indigestion, for which he blames a set of false teeth.

All his working life Zora has been a carrier of heavy weights, ranging from 200 to 1,000 pounds.

During the Napoleonic wars he had a bet that he could lift 500 pounds with his teeth, and he ruined them in making the attempt. He got along for some time without any teeth, and then he obtained a set which wore out.

About twenty years ago he got another set, which, he says have always given him indigestion and have finally made him go to the hospital for treatment of the complaint.

Zora was born in Turkish Armenia, as the birth record in the mosque there shows, in 1774.

He has a son aged ninety and a young daughter of fifty. In appearance he is only about seventy.

POSTPONE HEARING ON TELEPHONE RATE UNTIL FEBRUARY 4

A second postponement of the hearing of the protest of the Chamber of Commerce against the new rate increase of the Central Union Telephone Company was announced by the State Public Utilities commission Wednesday.

The hearing has been postponed from January 10 to February 4. The rate increase was announced the first of November at which time the Chamber of Commerce filed an official protest against the new rates with the State Commission, and a hearing of the matter was set for November 30.

Before that date the commission announced that the hearing had been postponed until January 10. In the meantime the company put up \$5,000 to insure that if the commission decided against the rates, that patrons would be refunded the difference between the amount paid under the new rate, and the rate allowed by the commission. This original bond was for only one month at the new rate, and whether this amount would cover a refund for November, December, January and February, in case the commission decides against the company on February, is not known.

Secretary L. C. Tingley of the Chamber of Commerce said Wednesday afternoon that no notice of the postponement had reached him as yet. This paper receiving the announcement from its Columbus news bureau. He said that Attorney C. L. Darlington, who will represent the city at the hearing, will be notified of the postponement at once.

MILLIONS TO GO FOR IMPROVEMENTS

Washington, Jan. 5.—Refunding and improvement operations amounting to many millions of dollars were authorized today by the interstate commerce commission for the Baltimore and Ohio and the New York Central railroads and their subsidiaries.

The Baltimore and Ohio railroad was authorized to issue conditional sale purchase notes of \$20,570,629, for equipment purposes, to assume liability for \$5,200,000 as guarantor of an obligation of the national railway service corporation, and to pledge \$3,250,000 of refunding and general mortgage bonds in connection with the equipment trust. The commission also authorized the Baltimore and Ohio railway company to issue \$7,586,000 of refunding and general mortgage bonds to issue and pledge \$363,000 of certain other bonds. Several subsidiaries of the Baltimore and Ohio were authorized to issue and deliver to the parent corporation \$3,812,000 in bonds.

Financing upon an even larger scale by several subsidiaries of the New York Central railway were authorized by the commission. The Big Four railway was given authority to issue 16 promissory notes aggregating \$3,944,000 and two ten year promissory notes for \$4,560,000 and \$113,000 respectively to issue and pledge \$4,560,000 of refunding and mortgage bonds and \$4,189,000 of refunding and improvement mortgage bonds and to guarantee a certain note for \$113,000. All of these obligations were pledged to the New York Central.

Other New York Central subsidiaries were granted the following authority:

Toledo and Ohio Central railroad to issue notes for \$214,000; Zanesville and Western Railway Company a note for \$60,000; Kanawa and Michigan railway a note for \$256,000; Lake Erie and Western Railroad a note for \$609,000; Cincinnati Northern Railroad a note for \$112,000.

The Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio railroad was given authority to issue \$5,000,000 in 15 year cumulative income debentures.

SUSTAINS FRACTURED ARM IN ACCIDENT

Mrs. Edward Von Dyke, of near Cedarville, while enroute to this city Tuesday, sustained a compound fracture of the wrist and elbow, when the horse she was driving became frightened at a pony, and suddenly turned, overturning the buggy and throwing Mrs. Van Dyke out. The injured woman was taken to the home of Mrs. Woodrow Warner, on East Third street. The accident happened on the Columbus pike.

LEAVE FOR FLORIDA

Mrs. R. S. Kingsbury and two children, Betty and Dorothy, left Monday for Daytona, Florida, where they will spend several weeks. Mr. Kingsbury accompanied them as far as Cincinnati, and will leave the fifteenth to join them at Daytona.

G. Osborn, judges of Municipal court, Columbus.

MOVE WASHINGTON HOSPITAL OF XENIA TO SPRINGFIELD

The Washington Hospital which has been located here for the last four years and has gained recognition from the government, will move to Springfield soon by special request of the colored people of said city.

This movement was initiated by the doctors and ministers of Springfield it is understood.

A large brick structure costing several thousand dollars has been purchased on the corner of Dilbert and Yellow Springs Sts. for the occupancy of the hospital.

Dr. H. R. Hawkins, who started the hospital here, has been secured as surgeon-in-chief. He will retain his local office in this city until the arrival of a successor.

Dr. Hawkins is well prepared to accept the offer of the position as surgeon, having graduated from the Homeopathic Medical College of Cleveland, Ohio, in 1892. Since then he has taken post graduate work at the Hanchman Medical College in Philadelphia and Mayo Brothers Surgical College. Also his successful experience of twenty years in this city and practice in the Washington Hospital augments his fitness for his new field of work.

ASK RECEIVER FOR CIGAR COMPANY

Mansfield, Ohio, Jan. 5.—A receiver and an accounting for the Hautzenroeder Cigar Company, an old established firm, is asked of the court by Herman E. Homberger, secretary and treasurer of the company. He says the stockholders voted Sept. 2, 1920, to liquidate the business but say they cannot agree on who shall settle the affairs. Homberger charges mismanagement on the part of the other officers. The plant has been closed since November.

APPOINTED POLICE CHIEF OF MASSILLON

Massillon, O., Jan. 5.—Gottlieb Dommer, former lieutenant of police, was today appointed chief of police by Mayor Herbert H. Vogt. Dommer's appointment followed a successful civil service examination.

Chief E. M. Ertle, who reigned Dec. 15, after twenty six years service in the department. The new chief take charge of the office Thursday.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John Galen Dugan, 28, 480 South Grand Avenue, Springfield, machinist and Mary Lucille Gray, 27, Cedarville, librarian. Rev. W. P. Harrisman.

B. F. Mellinger, 65, Yellow Springs, retired farmer, and Mrs. Luella Sparrow, 58, Yellow Springs, dressmaker. Rev. Simms.

With The Women of Today

The number of women receiving government appointments is growing daily. Washington has an ever increasing colony of women holding responsible government positions. The name applied to them now is the "women's cabinet." One of the most recent additions to this colony is Dr. Nora E. Dowell.

Dr. Dowell has been appointed assistant geologist in the United States geological survey. This is the first time that this position has ever been held by a woman. Dr. Dowell has long been prominent as a geology student and has done much research work. She is said to be ably fitted for her new post.

HELD BY SOVIETS

Mrs. Marguerite E. Harrison, a newspaper correspondent covering the soviet situation in Russia, was reported held as hostage by governmental authorities in Moscow. Another report comes through the soviet trade headquarters in New York that the first report is untrue. Mrs. Harrison is being held, it is reported, for the purpose of attracting attention to propaganda.

COURT NEWS

FILES STATEMENT.

Frank L. Johnson, appointed assignee of the Higgins & Phillips clothing store, has filed a statement of assets and liabilities in Probate Court, and has appointed H. D. Ruhlman in charge of the store.

U. S. IS OPPOSED TO OCCUPYING RUHR

Washington, Jan. 5.—The United States is at present opposed to occupation of the Ruhr valley by the French because of alleged failure of Germany to fulfill the disarmament provisions of the treaty of Versailles, it was learned officially today.

State department officials are making a study of the situation.

The United States while desiring that Germany fulfill the provisions of the treaty, is not in favor of too great pressure upon Germany, it was learned.

WILSON WILL NOT SUCCEED GOMPERS

Washington, Jan. 5.—Reports that Secretary of Labor Wilson would be a candidate for president of the American Federation of Labor to succeed Samuel Gompers, were emphatically denied at the offices of the Secretary today. Secretary Wilson has no ambition to hold office in the federation, it was stated by officials of the department of labor, who are close to him.

THEATER TICKETS CHEAPER

New York, Jan. 4.—Reduction of the price of theatre tickets in various cities has been followed in New York by the productions of Sam H. Harris, President of the Producing Managers Association, effective last night, the top price will be \$2.50 instead of \$3. In making the announcement, Mr. Harris expressed the hope that other managers would take similar action.



Dr. Nora E. Dowell.

WOMEN AS JURORS

The question of permitting women to serve on New York juries is up for discussion in that state. Mrs. Pauline C. Field, attorney and president of the Criminal Bar association, has asked that the law prohibiting women from serving be amended by eliminating the word "male" from the qualification which reads, "a juror must be a male citizen of the United States." Frederick Byrne, commissioner of jurors approved the bill. The bill will make women subject to contempt of court and the regular fine if they do not obey the summons to serve.

TAKES ROOSEVELT'S PLACE

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Sr., played Santa Claus at the Cove Neck school house in Oyster Bay, N. Y., taking the place of the late Colonel Roosevelt, who for twenty-five years dressed like Santa Claus and handed out gifts and sweets to the youngsters. Dr. Richard Derby husband of Mel Roosevelt, who had been a student at the school in the last quarter of a century, assisted Mrs. Roosevelt. This is her first appearance in that capacity since the death of her husband.

COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" is Quickest Relief Known

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks any cold up.

The very first dose opens clogged nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—Insist upon Pape's!

Got a Car to Sell

Find your best market through the classified. For in that way you may get in touch with people who really need a good used car—and you may steer clear of speculators.

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DID WE HELP OR HURT BY "ENTANGELING ALLIANCES" AFTER THE WAR?

London Dispatch, January 1st, 1921: "Never has the new year opened with the outlook so obscure as 1921, for never has the whole world been confronted with such difficult problems as it faces for the coming twelve months. In the past, individual countries and empires have been threatened with and have suffered destruction, but never has the entire world been threatened with disaster as it is threatened today. After the Napoleonic wars, Europe suffered from trade depression and social unrest, but in those days every nation was, for all political purposes, self-contained and able to support its relatively small population out of its own production. Now nations are not self-contained and they cannot support their relatively small populations out of their own resources unless they have the power to sell to other countries the surplus of those things which they can produce and to buy from other countries whatever they cannot produce themselves.

"There is a real danger of nations not being in position to buy or sell even as much as they did in 1920 and consequently it seems to be practically certain that an era of privation and suffering will in the next twelve months be extended to every country in the world in greater or lesser degree."

This certainly is a gloomy outlook, and just at the time that we were congratulating ourselves that we were bettering things. We were feeling proud that we had stopped war, and through the League of Nations we were going to inaugurate peace the world over. Surely the stoppage of the war was a move in the right direction, but have we bettered matters by tearing the nations apart and trying to readjust them? Who can answer this mighty question?

HERE'S HOPING 1921 MAY TR EAT US BETTER AS A NATION THA N 1920 DID.

Everybody is glad to see an old year go, for however hope-fully we start out with it (and we always start that way), we are usually convinced before it is over that we made a mistake in picking it—it is the year ahead, that is going to work the marvels for us. "Man never is but always to be blest."

The old world was broke and couldn't buy our products, and huge stocks that had cost the top notch to produce remained on our hands. The result was a stoppage everywhere. People wouldn't buy and merchants canceled their orders. Then, of course, the factories had to shut down, and it doesn't take an economist to know that throwing people out of employment doesn't start buying. One of our biggest business men, whom we call the farmer, was caught with a tremendous production which had cost him war prices to get ready for market and for which the year 1920 provided no market. The farmer's cattle that he had been boarding at hotel prices wouldn't fetch their keep. His wheat that had been planted and harvested and hauled and warehoused by the most expensive labor ever known on a farm—collapsed in price almost out of sight.

That's what 1920 did to business, which is to say it did it to everybody for the way we're all interlocked in the modern industrial system—farmer, manufacturer, merchant, wage earner—one can't be knocked down without the whole row of dominoes following. We all went down, and 1920 stood around and watched us try to get up. Being down, government thought it a favorable opportunity too, to load a few more taxes on our backs—and that didn't help us to get up. Strange, too, government seemed to think it would.

That seems to be a fair and unprejudiced statement, if a brief one, of the kind of a year 1920 was. It was a period we may hope is going now if not gone. At any rate here is a new year, and anything new is promising.

EACH FAMILY PAYS \$200 A YEAR.

The government, so far as finances are concerned, is simply a panhandler. When it wants money it writes to the folks, and all it gets is letters from home. If it spends 4 billion or more a year, it asks every family to contribute on the average \$200 apiece to support it.

Two hundred dollars a family is a lot of money. It keeps millions of people busy scratching to raise it. Every head of a house would find it much easier to support his family if he didn't have to send that \$200 to Washington.

That is why people are incensed by the extravagance of the government departments that make no effort to hold down expenses, and particularly by the action of men like Secretary Baker, who enjoys spending other people's money, and who now proposes to throw away Camp Funston while asking for 4 million dollars as a starter for permanent barracks at Camp Pike, an army post that for some reason has caught his fancy.—Exchange.

Rippling Rhymes

by Walt Mason

THE PEPTIMIST.

The peptimist is one who works with most exceeding vim, and sets example to the shirks who may keep tab on him. So many men, with dragging feet, go to their tasks each day, with frowns they shuck the ears of wheat and thrash the pales of hay. With scowls they ply the shinin' g saw or wield the useful churn; they're only happy when they draw the pay they think they earn. An I when there is a slump in trade, and workmen must be fired, these delegates are first to fade—they've made the bosses tired. The peptimist has taken pride in labors safe and sane, whatever tool he may have plied, a corkscrew or a plane. He did not go with dragging step when morning whistles blew; in every motion there was pep, no sulky fits he threw. And when a slump in trade appears, and workmen are laid off, the boss announces, through his tears, "We'll keep this hustling toff. We can't afford to let him go, he's such a useful man; we'll keep him, though to Tom and Joe we must attach the can." The peptimist is in demand wherever commerce dwells; he makes his progress through the land, and wears his string of bells.

"I SHOULD BE ASHAMED TO GRUMBLE OF MY OWN BURDENS WHEN I VIEW YOURS, JOHN!"



NEW CURRENCY TO MAKE APPEARANCE IN FRANCE, REPORT

A new form of money is about to make its appearance in France. This new currency, according to information received from its Paris correspondent by the Bankers Trust Company, of New York, will be coins made from a composition of bronze and aluminum. It will replace the emergency paper money issued during the war in two, one and one-half franc denominations. The new money will affect reform in French "pocket money" by providing small change that is more convenient, durable and sanitary than the paper bills.

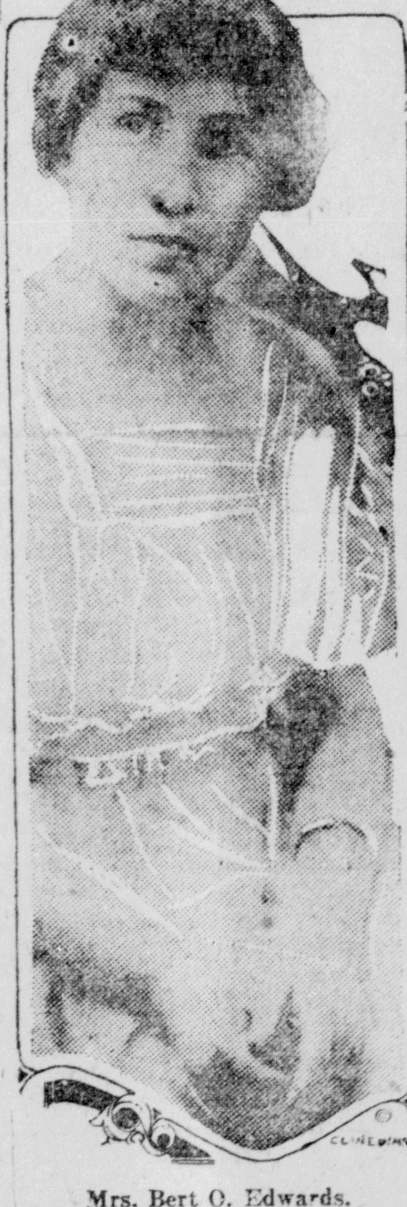
The two franc, one franc and 50 centime bills, because of the depreciation of French money, have been used as small change along with the old ten and twenty-five centime coin with the result that they have been submitted to wear which small paper bills cannot long withstand. These paper bills were issued temporarily by the various Chambers of Commerce in France under a special agreement with the Government under which an equal amount of Bank of France notes are deposited in the Bank of France by the Chambers of Commerce for paper money which they issue.

The small paper currency will be withdrawn as fast as the new coins are issued. Since there is some difficulty in securing the metal necessary to make the coins it is estimated that it will take two or three years to complete the change.

It is difficult to secure an exact statement of the amount of small paper money to date. It is certain however that the figure is at least four hundred million francs. The amount actually in circulation is about three hundred millions, one million having been either reimbursed or kept by collectors or destroyed by use.

The new coins or "jetons" will be acceptable throughout France and will be issued under the responsibility of the Ministry of Finance the Chambers of Commerce serving merely as the distributing medium. Because of the shortage of nickel and copper coins as well as small bills, the handling of street car fares and small purchases has caused general embarrassment for some months. The Compagnie Generale des Omnibus which controls practically all the surface lines in Paris has applied to the city authorities for permission to issue small coins of its own for facilitating the payment of fares. These coins when issued will be produced by a private firm and will be acceptable only as fares.

REPRESENTATIVE'S DAUGHTER MARRIES SOUTHERN DOCTOR



Mrs. Bert O. Edwards. Dr. and Mrs. Bert O. Edwards are honeymooning in Florida. They were married recently in Washington. The bride was Emorie Doughton, daughter of Rep. and Mrs. Robert L. Doughton of North Carolina. Dr. Edwards is a prominent physician in Asheville, N. C., where the couple will reside.

AMATEUR DEFEATED BY GREENLEAF

New York, Jan. 5.—Ralph Greenleaf, national pocket billiard champion defeated J. Howard Shoemaker, amateur title holder, 300 to 275 in two nights play at the New York A. C.

FLORIDA FETES GOVERNOR Tallahassee, Fla., Jan. 5.—Cary A. Hardie, Democrat, took the oath as Governor of Florida as the climax of the most elaborate inauguration day fete in the history of the state. Governor Hardie succeeds Sidney J. Catts.

PORTIA TAKES PLACE ON CLEVELAND BENCH

Cleveland, Jan. 3.—Portia, sat for the first time on the common pleas bench of Ohio today, when the oath of office was administered to Florence L. Allen and she assumed her position on the bench in the criminal division.

Judge Allen took hold of the routine of the court procedure like an old timer and decided the questions of evidence and law raised by the contending attorneys with speed and dispatch.

NONPARTISANS DOWNED

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 5.—Permanent organization of the Minnesota Legislature was effected. Rep. W. I. Nolan, of Minneapolis was elected Speaker of the House over Rep. Erling Swenson of Minneapolis, candidate of the Labor Non-partisan faction by a vote of 102 to 26.

SHIPPING SALE POSTPONED

Washington, Jan. 5.—Indefinite postponement of the sale of surplus shipping materials on the Pacific Coast was announced tonight by the Shipping Board. The material had been advertised by the board for sale by competitive bids January 14. No explanation accompanied the board's announcement.

ELECTORS TO MEET MONDAY

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 5.—The New York State Electoral College composed of 41 men and 4 women, will meet here Monday to cast ballots as electors for Senator Warren G. Harding for President and Governor Calvin Coolidge for Vice President. Engraved ballots, in the form of a card will be used.

ASPIRIN

Name "Bayer" on Genuine



Take no chances with substitutes! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for twenty-one years and proved safe by millions. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for Pain. Handy tin boxes of twelve Bayer Tablets of Aspirin cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger packages. Aspirin is the trad. mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

Foley's Honey and Tar COMPOUND

CLEARs THE THROAT of phlegm and mucus, stops that tickling, opens the air passages for easier breathing and coats the raw, inflamed surfaces with a healing, soothing medicine.

Grateful Father Tells What It Did W. E. Curry, 130 1/2 St. Evansville, Ind., writes: "I have a little girl 6 years who has a good deal of trouble with croup. I have used Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, giving it to her according to directions, and obtaining instant relief for her. My wife and I use it whenever bothered with a bad cold or cough, and I will say that it is the best remedy for a bad cold, cough, throat trouble or croup that I ever saw."

Parents who use Foley's Honey and Tar know it is safe and no harm will come even if an overdose should be given by accident. It tastes good and children like it. It won't upset the delicate stomachs of young children, delicate persons or elderly people.

MAIL PLANE IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 4.—A United States air mail plane was destroyed by fire with 200 pounds of mail here today following a spectacular landing by pilot F. F. Boggs, in the heart of the residential district. Boggs set out for Reno this morning and 2,000 feet up his motor stalled. On account of a heavy fog there was absolutely no visibility and trusting to luck the flyer coasted downward. Fifty feet above their tops he discovered the residences lining Gough street near Hayes. Boggs maneuvered his plane so as to affect a landing in the car tracks of Gough street.

The motor trouble resulted in the plane bursting into flames upon landing. Boggs escaped unhurt.

THRILLING STORY COMES TO LIGHT

(Continued from page 1.)

Throughout the afternoon and night of the 14th the men trudged through the snow. Fortunately there was little if any frost in the air. They had taken with them all the provisions left on the balloon including the three carrier pigeons.

On the 16th the men began to despair. They realized they were lost and began to fear that they would perish in the wilderness. By this time all the food had been eaten and two of the three carrier pigeons were killed and eaten.

Note: The account fails to say what happened to the third pigeon. It is possible it may have been released with a message and lost its way. This part of the dramatic story will not be revealed until the men reach the railroad here or at Mattice.)

On the 17th just as the men had about decided to abandon themselves to their fate they reached the Moose river. The sight of this river gave them fresh hopes. They believed that if there was any settlement at all in the wilderness, it would be upon a stream of water.

Plunging through the deep snow, halting tottering and exhausted, the balloonists finally discovered tracks in the snow. Their hope was strengthened and they fought their way forward with renewed confidence.

After a tortuous journey the men came upon an Indian trapper, a hardy fellow who was getting his winter catch for sale to the Hudson Bay Company in the spring. This Indian, Tom Marks, by name, was on a hunting expedition and was looking after his traps. When he caught sight of the three white men he was overcome with fright and disappeared in the brush.

The sudden and mysterious appearance of three white men in the heart of that desolate snow waste was enough to cast fear into a heart even less bold than that of Tom Marks.

Two of the men wore uniforms of the U. S. Naval air forces. The third was in his underwear. All were nearly spent and showed marks of exposure and starvation.

(The fact that only two of the white men wore uniforms is another part of the narrative that has not yet been cleared up.)

The men kept on and finally reached Moose Factory more dead than alive. Their appearance at the trading post caused a great sensation among the employees of the little store and fort, especially among the few superstitious Indians who looked upon the white men as spirits out of the air.

The Hudson Bay employees took the Americans in and gave them the best of care. They were put to bed under layers of thick, warm furs and hot drinks were administered. After a long sleep they were given a hearty meal and at the end of 24 hours were ready to start for the edge of the

white man's world.

The traders at the post were astonished to learn that the balloonists had left New York only a few days before. And in fact this furnished one of the most dramatic features of the entire adventure. Within a short 24 hours the men had passed from the metropolis of the western world—New York City—to the heart of a virgin wilderness. From a city teeming with life and the seat of railway, steamship and street car lines to the midst of a desolate land, untrodden by the foot of man and without any of the necessities or comforts of a civilized land.

A party of trappers set out on December 18 to recover the balloon but the men returned saying that it could not be carried through the deep snow.

The Hudson Bay post employees at the request of the Americans sent out one of their runners to Mattice to send a telegram to New York. Lieut. Kloor wrote the message and this telegram was the first word that the world had of the rescue of the balloonists.

Plans were then made for a second expedition for the balloon later on.

After resting over Christmas in the trading post, where they had a feast of venison steak, the Americans set out in sledges guided by Indian runners.

(Note: According to the Anglican minister account the men were leaving Moose Factory on December 26 but the Americans had reported in their telegram of last Sunday to the Rockaway naval authorities that they would depart on December 27.)

The Rev. Hawthorne White, the Anglican minister at Moose Factory, quoted the balloonists as saying they could have stayed in the air only a few hours longer as they had thrown out all their ballast.

The Sturdy Food Values of wheat and malted barley are combined and available in Grape-Nuts as in no other prepared cereal food. "There's a Reason" for Grape-Nuts

KEEP LOOKING YOUNG

It's Easy—If You Know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

The secret of keeping young is to feel young—to do this you must watch your liver and bowels—there's no need of having a sallow complexion—dark rings under your eyes—pimples—a bilious look in your face—dull eyes with no sparkle. Your doctor will tell you ninety per cent of all sickness comes from inactive bowels and liver.

Dr. Edwards, a well-known physician in Ohio, perfected a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil to act on the liver and bowels, which he gave to his patients for years.

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NINETY EMPLOYEES OF P. R. R. AND FRIENDS ATTEND BANQUET

Ninety Pennsylvania road officials, friends and fellow employees of Howard Norris, who retired as supervisor of telegraph and signals in the electrical and mechanical department, January 1, were seated at the banquet given in his honor at the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening.

The chicken banquet was the climax of an informal reception held for Mr. Norris at four o'clock, and was prepared and served by the wives of employees of the telegraph and signal department, with Mrs. B. L. Hughey in charge.

Following the banquet Charles E. O'Brien, who succeeded Mr. Norris as supervisor on the Cincinnati division and the C. L. & N. road, introduced B. H. Barnett, signal maintainer of the telegraph and signal department at Cincinnati, who presented Mr. Norris with a purse of gold in behalf of his fellow employees.

The purse containing the gold pieces was a cleverly originated hack, sealed with a regulation car seal, and with the black train block post bearing the red, yellow and green signal lights of the Pennsylvania System, embroidered on one side. On the other were embroidered the letters "S. D." for Signal Department and the date "1921." Shepherd's Entertainers furnished music during the banquet, and at the conclusion of the affair, there was an informal reception in the parlors of the club. The banquet was given by local employees of the railroad, the committee being headed by B. L. Hughey, assisted by W. H. Kepler.

Seated with Mr. Norris at the table was his son, Clarence Norris, who is supervisor of telegraph and signals at Akron, Ohio, his brother Harvey Norris, who is track foreman at Newcomerstown, Mrs. Howard Norris, Mrs. Isabelle Pierson, Mrs. Harvey Norris, Howard Brown and Mrs. Loretta Brown.

Officials and employees who took part in the affair were as follows: B. L. Hughey, of Xenia, signal inspector; C. E. O'Brien, Xenia, successor to Mr. Norris; J. A. Cosby, Terrace Park, Captain of police; H. C. Kirby, Cincinnati, division operator; W. E. James, Cincinnati, general division accountant; J. G. James, Cincinnati, chief superintendent's clerk; John Kiely, Xenia, who was also retired the first of the year; C. R. McNamee, Xenia, round house foreman; Roy Ohlinger, Xenia, assistant road foreman of engines; J. P. Everhard, Cincinnati, road man of engines; S. L. Mider, Cincinnati, trainmaster; S. N. Deacon, Xenia, retired master carpenter; J. E. Daly, Xenia, assistant train master; W. R. Torrence, Xenia, freight agent; H. T. Freshour, Cincinnati, assistant division engineer; F. N. Crowell, Terrace Park, division engineer; W. D. Sigel, Xenia, master carpenter; C. P. Woodson, supervisor of telegraph and signals, at Columbus; E. B. Pry, supervisor of telegraph and signals at St. Louis; O. Boles, supervisor of telegraph and signals at Richmond, Ind.; W. P. Halstren, supervisor of telegraph and signals at Ft. Wayne, Ind.; M. J. Coffey, Cincinnati, chief division clerk; Patrick Fannon, Loveland, supervisor; A. J. Canny, Xenia, supervisor; John Guilday, Xenia, supervisor; J. W. Kildow, Cincinnati, supervisor; D. J. Durrell, Terrace Park, master mechanic; Mr. Lemnick, Ashtabula, supervisor of telegraph and signals; W. H. Kepler, Xenia, store keeper; Charles Mackrodt, Xenia, lieutenant of police; J. R. Laycock, Xenia, Harry Evers, Xenia, retired baggage master; F. A. Hodson, Paul B. Evers, R. G. Bath, Michael Powers, H. C. Green, O. C. Hill, Frank Jacobs, Robert Terrell, Geo. Floeser, M. A. Bailey, George Stemmer, John O'Brien, A. W. Spaulding, M. B. Shepherd, C. S. Van Horn, Charles Kennedy, William Maxwell, Stephen Ritter, C. M. Tuffts, E. F. Ludlow, W. H. Hamilton, Alfred Quist, L. F. Beckman, M. J. Cusick, G. L. Doughman, Charles Bowers, R. E. Jones, B. H. Barnett, G. P. Jeffries, L. E. Smith, Oscar Maley, George Brown, John Ryan, John Crow, F. L. Bath, R. C. McElfresh, William Mider, C. T. Haas, Rudolph Weber, Russel Halstead, E. P. Allen, William Moran and James Richards.

he was 25 went to Athens to study philosophy, came back 'cured of his faults,' and as he says 'a changed man.'

Shortly after his return he married a very dominating woman. It is supposed that he thought of defending Cataline, but his wife persuaded him to speak against him. Although he sometimes quarrelled with Caesar, he was a firm friend of the conqueror and was very much grieved when he was murdered. At various times during his career he was obliged to take refuge in literature (which amounted to a voluntary exile) to save his life.

Although the new emperor Octavian desired to save him, he was killed and his head and hands were sent to Rome after Fulvia, wife of his enemy, Marc Anthony, had thrust a hair pin through his tongue. His last words were 'Let me die in the country which I have so often saved,' a remark which seems to show that he was well aware of his own importance to the glory of Rome.

SPRING VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Marlette and little daughter of Springfield have been spending the holidays with Mrs. Marlette's mother Mrs. Rosa Smith.

Mrs. Roy Irons of Amanda, Ohio, has been visiting her mother Mrs. Eva Wyson.

Class No. 3 of the Friends Sabbath School held a social and watch party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Holland Friday evening. This class of which Mrs. J. C. Mason is teacher combined with the class that Mr. J. C. Mason teaches and wired the Mason home for electric lights for their Christmas present.

The Weller sisters entertained a number of their friends at a watch night party.

Mrs. Thomas fell the other day but escaped serious injury.

Mrs. DeWitt Thompson has been spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Anabee.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Eves and daughter of Springfield were the guests New Years Day, of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Moore.

Mr. Daniel Stump has returned from a two weeks visit with friends. Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Moore entertained at dinner Sunday, Mrs. Robert Mannington, Mr. and Mrs. John Hanby and Miss Delsie Moore of Dayton and Mr. Othe Moore.

WILL RETIRE WHEN ALL MONEY IN U. S. TREASURY COUNTED

Washington, Jan. 3.—When John Burke, United States treasurer, has counted all of the money in Uncle Sam's coffers he will retire from public life, he announced today.

Burke announces that his resignation has been filed with the secretary of the treasury and he has asked to be relieved of his duties at the earliest moment.

Under the law a retiring United States treasurer must make a count of the moneys in the public treasury before a change in office. This will take about one week, Burke estimates.

Treasurer Burke will join the private banking and brokerage firm of Cardos and Company in New York and the future firm name will be Cardos and Burke.

MILLS WILL RE-OPEN. —The Larabee flour mills in Hutchison, closed for more than a week will reopen in a week or ten days.

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- 6 We offer each depositor the full protection afforded by our thousands of good first mortgages.
- 7 The Buckeye State Building & Loan Co., Rankin Bldg., 22 West Gay St., Columbus, Ohio.
- 8 Assets over \$20,000,000.00. Five per cent on time deposits.

Is It Yours

THIS IS THE BIRTHDAY OF
CICERO

Cicero was the greatest orator in Roman history just as Demosthenes was the greatest orator in ancient Greece. Every girl or boy who studies Latin is obliged to translate some of Cicero's orations, usually his most famous one against Cataline.

Marcus Tullius Cicero was born in the small town of Arpinum in Italy 106 years before the birth of Christ and he was killed near Rome in the year 43 B. C. As Rome derived all her greatness from Greece it was natural that her prominent men should be sent there to study. Cicero who had taken up literature at an early age, and who had even made a name as a politician when

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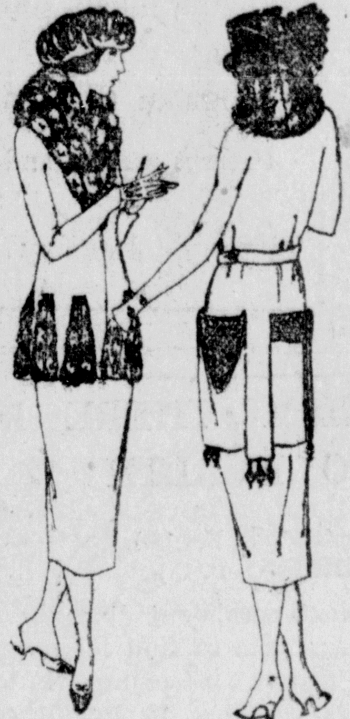
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JANUARY CLEARANCE OF READY TO-WEAR

LOWER PRICES ALREADY IN EFFECT MAKE THE VALUES OBTAINABLE AT THE JANUARY SALES OF GREATER THAN USUAL MERIT THIS YEAR.

SUITS AT JANUARY SALE PRICE

January Sales disclose startling values now to be had in our complete stock of season's suits.



5 suits, All Wool, Plain Tailored Models in Velour and Tricotine, Values up to \$39.75, Sale Price **\$19.75**

22 Suits, Plain Tailored and Fur Trimmed in Velour, Tricotine, Silvertone and Oxford in Navy and Colors, Values up to \$59.75, Sale Price **\$25.00**

7 Suits, Trimmed in Hudson Seal and Squirrel, also plain tailored styles, in plain and checked Velours, Duvet de Laines and Tinseltone, Values up to \$75.00, Sale Price **\$39.75**

4 Suits, Dressy Embroidered Models, Mole and Hudson Seal Trimmed, Sale Price **\$49.50**

6 Suits, of Duvet de Laine, Frost-Glow, Peachbloom, with Australian Chinchilla, Nutria and Russian Squirrel Collars, Values up to \$98.50, Sale Price **\$59.50**

COATS AT JANUARY SALE PRICE

Coats bought now are done so at noteworthy savings.

Coats bought now are done so at Hudson Seal Collars, Values up to \$75.00, Sale Price **\$49.50**

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All Children's Coats, size 2 to 14 years, in styles and fabrics that are varied.

\$9.95 Children's Coats, Sale Price **\$4.98**
\$16.50 Children's Coats, Sale Price **\$8.25**
\$19.75 Children's Coats, Sale Price **\$9.88**

WOOL FROCKS AT JANUARY SALE PRICES

All the latest modes, tailored or trimmed with embroidery, beading or stitchery. Prices make it economy to buy for early Spring Wear.

\$59.50 Navy Tricotine Dresses, Sale Price **\$39.75**
\$49.50 Navy Tricotine Dresses, Sale Price **\$34.75**
\$39.75 Navy Tricotine Dresses, Sale Price **\$24.75**
\$25.00 Navy Tricotine Dresses, Sale Price **\$14.95**

JUNIORS' AND MISSES' WOOL DRESSES AT HALF PRICE

This includes dresses from 8 to 16½ years in Peter Thompson and dressy models.

\$6.95 Navy Serge Dresses, Sale Price **\$3.38**
\$7.50 Navy Serge Dresses, Sale Price **\$3.75**
\$9.95 Navy Serge Dresses, Sale Price **\$4.98**
\$10.75 Navy Serge Dresses, Sale Price **\$5.38**
\$12.50 Navy Serge Dresses, Sale Price **\$6.25**
\$15.00 Navy Serge Dresses, Sale Price **\$7.50**

JUNIORS' AND MISSES' GINGHAM DRESSES IN JANUARY SALE

Flapper Dresses in Plaids and Plain Chambrays, \$5.50 values Sale Price **\$3.95**



FURS AT HALF PRICE IN JANUARY CLEARANCE

Scarfs of Wolf, French Lynx, Geanet Sable, Black Lynx and Black Fox reduced to One Half Price.

\$7.50 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$3.75**
\$12.50 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$6.25**
\$15.00 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$7.50**
\$17.50 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$8.75**
\$25.00 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$12.50**
\$35.00 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$17.50**
\$100.00 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$50.00**

CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' FUR SETS HALF PRICE

\$3.95 Fur Sets, Sale Price **\$1.98**
\$9.95 Fur Sets, Sale Price **\$4.98**
\$12.50 Fur Sets, Sale Price **\$6.25**

BLOUSES AT JANUARY SALE PRICES

Georgette Blouses, sizes 36 to 54, in White, Flesh, Beige, Navy, Black, and Suit Shades at attractive prices.

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\$8.95 Georgette Blouses, Sale Price **\$5.95**
\$9.95 Georgette Blouses, Sale Price **\$6.95**
\$12.50 Georgette Blouses, Sale Price **\$7.95**
\$13.50 Georgette Blouses, Sale Price **\$9.95**
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\$15.00 Blouses of Tricolette, Sale Price **\$9.95**
\$8.75 Blouses of Tricolette, Sale Price **\$5.95**
\$5.95 Blouses of Tricolette, Sale Price **\$3.95**
\$5.95 Pongee Waists, Sale Price **\$3.95**
\$9.95 Crepe de Chine Blouses, Sale Price **\$6.95**
Jersey Overblouses, special **\$5.00**
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Some are slightly soiled, others are fresh and new, all are greatly reduced.

Envelope Chemise, slightly soiled, \$1.50 Values, Sale Price **75c**
Envelope Chemise, slightly soiled, \$1.95 Values, Sale Price **98c**
Envelope Chemise, slightly soiled, \$2.50 Values, Sale Price **\$1.25**
Envelope Chemise, slightly soiled, \$3.95 Values, Sale Price **\$1.97**



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ANNOUNCE WRESTLING BOUT JANUARY 17TH

Bill Brooks, local wrestling match promoter, is arranging for another wrestling show to be staged at the opera house Monday January 17. In spite of the lack of support at previous shows, Brooks is continuing in his efforts to interest local people in the mat game.

The coming matches will feature a finish match between Paul Bowser, of Newark, middleweight champion of world, and holder of the Police Gazette belt, and Young Dimotrol the Greek wrestler from Pennsylvania. The match will be to a finish with the Police Gazette belt up for booty, and Bowser will either have to throw or draw his opponent to keep the coveted championship honors.

In the preliminary Bill Brooks, will wrestle Kid Miller of Newark.

CLIFTON BASKETBALL TEAM INCREASES LEAD

The Clifton basketball team, leaders in the Clark County Rural Community league, with four games won and none lost, increased its lead at the Springfield Y. M. C. A. Tuesday night by defeating North Hampton, 26-17.

The game was extremely hard fought, the North Hampton lads leading at the end of the half 10-8, and still maintaining this lead up until the last five minutes of play, when the Clifton quintet forged into the lead. Antioch and Cedarville College stars make up the Clifton team. Roger Collins, coach of Cedarville, being the shining star of the Tuesday night game. The line-up and summary:

Clifton (26) North Hampton (17)
Northup If C. Bowman
R. Collins rf Jenkins
J. Collins c McFarland
W. Corry rg W. Bowman
Edwards lg E. Jenkins

Substitutions: Walter Corry for J. Collins; J. Collins for Willis Corry. Field goals: R. Collins 5, Northup 3, J. Collins 2, Edwards 2. Walter Corry 1, E. Jenkins 2, C. Bowman 2, McFarland 2, Jenkins 1. Foul goals: E. Jenkins 1.

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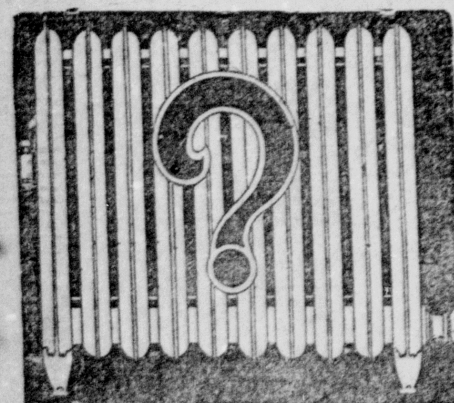
"I never got a good night's rest and always felt dead tired, and got so weak I dreaded to attempt to do any housework. I got fearfully blue over my condition, and wondered if there wasn't any medicine anywhere that would help me.

"After reading several Tanlac testimonials I remembered my sister in Indiana had tried three years ago to get me interested in Tanlac, so I made up my mind to try it and I soon found it was the right medicine for me. Right from the start I began to improve and now after taking three bottles I am feeling just fine.

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EAST END NEWS

Rev. G. V. Beeton entertained in honor of Mr. Alfred Leach a few young people at the residence of Miss Lulu Mae Varner, Friday. Those invited were Misses Emily Pitts, Flora Leach, Mattie Lewis, Thelma Hurst, Ora Locust, Clifford Green, Clarence Smith and Lorenzo Harris.

Miss Evan Purnell who has been the holiday guest of Miss Lena Mae Oglesby, East Main Street will leave for her home in Millersburg, Ky., Thursday.

Curtis Wiggington, East Market street delightfully entertained a number of his friends Tuesday evening at the home of his mother Mrs. Jessie Roark, East Third street. The evening was spent in a social way with games after which a delicious refreshment course was served. The out of town guest was Miss Eva Purnell of Millersburg, Ky.

The night school at Lincoln building has opened and a good attendance is expected now for the balance of the term.

The students who are attending schools and college have all resumed their studies after spending a very pleasant vacation at their home.

Mr. J. S. Ayres received a message from his son, Lt. W. Cassella T. Ayres that he had been re-appointed Assistant Postmaster of the General Assembly at Columbus for another two years, and started his duties, Monday, January 3rd, with the convening of the Legislature.

Thursday January 6th East High fast basket ball quintet will clash with the National's of Springfield at the Xenia Rink at 8 p. m. There will be a preliminary game played before the big contest. The teams to be engaged in this "preliminary" contest will be announced later.

Miss Lulu Mae Varner and Rev. E. Beeton entertained last Friday evening at her home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leach of Chicago. All members of St. John A. M. E. Choir are requested to meet to night at 8 o'clock in the pastor's study. Business of importance to be transacted. Let every member be present.

TREASURER BURKE RESIGNS
Washington, Jan. 5.—John Burke treasurer of the U. S., announced his resignation, effective upon the appointment of his successor.

ISSUES CALL FOR BANK CONDITIONS

Washington, Jan. 5.—The controller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of national banks as of close of business Wednesday, Dec. 23, 1920.

Pontius Issues Call
Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—State Banking Supt. Pontius today issued a call for the condition of state and private banks as of Dec. 31.

Is It Yours

THIS IS THE BIRTHDAY OF
STEPHEN DECATUR
January 5, 1779

One of our early great naval commanders, Stephen Decatur, was born in Maryland in 1779. His father had been on the sea, in fact, had been in command of a ship which was used to capture British vessels during the Revolution. After the war, he settled in Philadelphia, then in Maryland.

At 19, Stephen began his naval career—the manner then was to become a "middy" on a vessel. He distinguished himself first when, with a squadron in the Mediterranean, he offered to set fire to one of our captured vessels, which the people of Tripoli had in their possession. With a few men he stole into the harbor, set fire to the boat and got away again under a raking fire with the loss of only one man wounded. Nelson said it was "the most daring exploit of the age," and Decatur was an international hero for a long time.

He was made a captain and given a sword by Congress and served all through the war with Tripoli. In the war of 1812, his ship captured one of the British vessels, but later when he had command of New York harbor, he was blockaded by the British and his flagship fought against four English ships. He was captured and as much honored by his foes as his countrymen for the way he fought.

He was killed a few years later in a duel with a man who thought Decatur had said something against his good name.

DEPUTY STATE FIRE MARSHAL IS DEAD

Word comes from New Vienna of the death of John B. Pemberton, Deputy Fire Marshal. Mr. Pemberton is well known in Wilmington and throughout the state where his work has carried him.

While Mr. Pemberton has been quite active in business circles it was generally known among his friends that he was afflicted with stomach trouble of a long standing and his death was due to this trouble.

Mr. Pemberton is survived by his wife and two daughters, Mrs. Donald Carey, of Iowa, and Bessie who lives at home, and one son, Fred Pemberton of Columbus.

Funeral services were held at the home at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Wilmington News-Journal.

EXPLOSION CAUSE OF TWO DEATHS

Williamson, W. Va., Jan. 5.—Dis-membered and mutilated bodies of two men were found this morning at Gates, ten miles east of Williamson, after dynamite explosion during the night had alarmed the inhabitants of that community. The identity of the men and the cause of the explosion have not been ascertained, according to reports made to Colonel Herman Hall, in command of the battalion of U. S. troops on duty in Mingo county strike area and to Sheriff A. C. Pinson.

DRINK VENDER INDICTED.

Laporte, Ind., Jan. 5.—A new feature was added to the automobile accident in which August Kueher was killed Christmas Eve, and Miss Bonnie Hawkins, school teacher was injured seriously when Louis Roule, soft drink vender, was arrested charged with having sold a drink to Kueher in quantities sufficient to cause his intoxication.

The "Heal-All" of the Indians

There is an herb which grows wild on our Western Plains known as "Manzanita" and to which the Indians attribute wonderful curative and healing virtue.

There is no question but that nature has bounteously provided in the roots and herbs of the field a remedy for many of the ills to which human flesh is heir. This is demonstrated by the wonderful success of that root and herb medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for more than forty years has been relieving women of America from some of the worst forms of female ills. It will certainly pay any woman who so suffers to try it.

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(Wednesday Health Talk No. 18.)
(By G. C. DONOHOO, D. C.)

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Rheumatism is caused by the absorption of poisons into the blood. The kind of rheumatism may be any one of several varieties, but the chiropractor has invariably found pressure on spinal nerves that regulate the healthful action of kidneys and bowels. Chiropractic spinal adjusting removes the nerve pressure, and restores the natural nervous vigor to bowels and kidneys. When enough adjustments are taken to build up the spinal cartilages and restore nerve freedom, the relief is very apt to be permanent.

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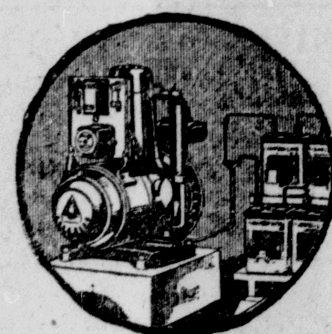
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ORPHIUM TO-NIGHT

"WANTED AT HEADQUARTERS"

A 5 reel special attraction featuring MISS EVA NOVAK, LLOYD SEDGWICK and others. The most daring criminal plot ever conceived by human mind.

"THE THIRD EYE"

A Pathe serial of baffling mystery and romance. In 3 reels featuring WARNER OLAND and EILEEN PERCY.

TWO—BIG FEATURES—TWO

Executor's Public Sale

The undersigned will offer at public auction at the residence of the late W. A. Collins on the Clifton and Wilberforce pike 6 miles northeast of Xenia, 4 miles south of Yellow Springs and 3 miles west of Cedarville.

THURSDAY, JAN. 13th, 1921

Commencing at 12 o'clock sharp, the following property:

2—HEAD OF HORSES—2

One brown mare, 12 years old, weight about 1400, perfectly gentle, and a splendid worker in all harness. One black mare, 5 years old, fine disposition.

8—HEAD OF CATTLE—8

One Jersey cow, giving good flow of milk; 1 Polled Jersey cow; 1 Roan Shorthorn cow; 1 Red Shorthorn cow, all of which will be fresh soon after the sale; 1 yearling steer; 1 yearling heifer; 2 heifer calves.

42—HEAD OF SHEEP—42

Consisting of 18 Shropshire Ewes; 23 Lambs and 1 Shropshire Ram.

36—HEAD OF HOGS—36

Consisting of 6 brood sows; 3 fat hogs; 14 feeding shoats; 12 weanling pigs and 1 Duroc boar.

ONE-HALF INTEREST IN 25 ACRES GROWING WHEAT.

FEED

72 shocks corn in field; about 12 tons silage; 2 tons timothy hay; 3 1/2 tons Alfalfa.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

One McCormick binder; McCormick mower; grain and fertilizer drill; corn planter; 2 cultivators; disc harrow; spike harrow; roller; breaking plows; 2 hay rakes; tedder; 2 wagons; 2 sleds; spring wagon; storm buggy; 6 horse International gas engine; power feed cutter; Scientific feed mill; fanning mill; platform scales; circular saw; manure spreader; feed boxes; sheep racks; 4 steel tanks; 4 step ladders; 3 hay forks, rope and pulleys; complete set of carpenter tools; chest and work bench; set blacksmith tools, including forge, anvil, vise and other necessary tools; butchering tools; 2 fence stretchers; steel posts; wire fence; forks; shovels; rakes, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Several hundred feet of good seasoned oak lumber.

CHEVROLET AUTOMOBILE Run less than 4,000 miles.

TERMS

All sums of \$10.00 and under to be cash in hand, above that amount a credit of six months will be given purchaser to give bankable note with 2 approved securities. Notes to bear 7 per cent interest from date.

A. G. COLLINS,

Executor of the Estate of W. A. Collins, Deceased.

Cedarville, Ohio, Route 2.

H. C. WILSON, Auctioneer.

J. E. HASTINGS, Clerk.

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Waddle's Cash Grocery

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Specials For the Week End

Bread, 3 loaves for	25c
Longhorn cream cheese, pound	35c
Michigan navy beans, No. 1, pound	7c
Heinz's fig and plum pudding, large can	50c
Mother's Aluminum oats, package	40c
Bulk rolled oats, pound	5c
All Jellos and Jiffo Jells, box	12 1/2c
Post Toasties and Corn Flakes, 2 packages	25c
Seedless and seeded raisins, large package	33c
No. 1 Bernard Bros. Coffee, pound	30c
Bulk Sauer Kraut, pound	10c

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Saturday afternoon child's brown purse, between Bijou and Kennedy East Store, 1097 Bell. 3-6

LOST—Black traveling bag, on James-town pike, Friday night, contained Christmas packages. Liberal reward. Please notify M. G. Townsend, 446 W. North St., Springfield, Ohio. 1-6

LOST—Gold rimmed nose glasses in case. Reward John Turner, 822 W.ilmington, Ohio. 1-5

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 112 West Second St. 1-5

WANTED—Sewing and all kinds of fancy work, such as beading, braiding and crocheting. Bell 951. 1-11

LOST—White and black spotted fox terrier, in or around Cedarville. Reward. Call Chas. Graham, Cedarville. 1-10

STRAYED one tan colored Collie dog, notify D. M. Kennon, Ctl. 2-20 Cedarville, O. 1-6

WANTED

WANTED—To buy second hand cash register. 1231 Wayne Ave., Dayton. 1-7

WANTED—Baled hay and straw. See Belden Milling Co. 1-4

WANTED—White oats. Belden Milling Co. 1-6

WANTED—Washings to do at home. 1-6 Miller avenue.

WANTED—5000 Rugs to clean. The Hamilton Beach Carpet Cleaning Co. Expert Carpet and Rug cleaners. Special machinery for dry cleaning rugs. Any size. Work called for and delivered. Carl Scott and R. E. Holmes. Props. Bell phones 06W-536R-2. 637 East Main St. Xenia, O. 1-10

WANTED—Men devote spare time selling guaranteed trees, shrubs, plants. Liberal weekly pay. If you mean business write for territory. Guaranty Nursery, Rochester, N. Y. 1-11

WANTED—Corn huskers. J. Earl McClellan, Upper Bellbrook, pike. 1-5 phone 740 W2.

FOR SALE LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Shorthorn Jersey cow and calf. Irvin Huffman, Ctl. phone. 1-6

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow and calf. Two big type Poland China hogs. Accetylene plant and fixtures. W. C. St. John, Jamestown, Ctl. 1-10 on 145.

MARE—Driver, will sell cheap or let out for feed. John Harbino, 1-11 ten building.

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Try the wonderful egg producer and dairy feed. Choice hay at 1 1/2¢ per lb at East End Feed Store, Columbus St. Bell 897-J. 1-10

FOR SALE—Borderland Block coal. C. O. Miller, elevator, Trebleins, O. 1-5

LOOK—Save the old suit, have it dry cleaned, steam dyed, pressed, Renaldi and mending neatly done. 39 W. Main St. upstairs. 1-6

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn rooster, Ctl. 2 on 828. 1-7

LOANS ON EVERYTHING—Notes and bonds bought. Farms, houses and lots for sale. John Harbino, Allen building. Telephones. 11-27-21

HAY BALER with engine for sale \$200. John Harbino, Allen bldg. Telephone. 1-15

PIANO—Electric player for sale \$200. Easy payments. John Harbino, Allen building. 1-11

SECOND HAND STOVE—Fishback's 635-79 East Main. Buys and sells stoves, stoves, furniture, etc. G. 334. 8-17-21

FOR SALE—Buggy \$15; harness \$5; bookcase. John Harbino, Allen bldg. 1-7

FOR SALE—Hay. Inquire Roy Fields, Yellow Springs, 4872 Bell phone. 1-8

FOR SALE—Perfectly new sanitary cot with mattress. Home phone 297R. 1-5

FOR SALE—Dining table, Labron Apt., Collier St. 1-5

FOR SALE—A good base burner, also soft coal burner. Will sell cheap if sold at once. Call Bell 678-W. 535 W. Second St. 1-5

FOR SALE—Reed baby carriage. Price \$5. Call 229 Red Citizens. 1-6

FOR SALE—Small iron safe, combination lock, good condition, and Ford motor and hood cover. J. H. Whitmer, 22 East Market St. 1-10

FOR SALE—Cook and heating stoves wood, coal, gas or gasoline stove, repairing of all kinds. Andy Prohl, Second Hand Store, 15 West Third Street. 2-23

FOR SALE—Jewel ledger binder, holds 800 leaves. Phone 298. 1-7

FOR SALE REAL ESTATE.

A. L. TRESISE—Real Estate, Farms and City properties for sale. 161W. Bell phone 165W. Office Citizens Bank Bldg., Xenia, O. 7-11F

LONG & MARSHALL, Real Estate Men. We sell or buy your farm properties. We will loan you money. See us. No. 19 South Detroit St. Gazette bldg. Both phones. 8-29-2F

FOR SALE—Jan. 4, 10:30 a. m., at auction, 41 residence on Ankerly mill road, 2 1/2 miles from Xenia. 50 hogs, 7 cattle, 3 horses. 1-6

WM. NEATHERTON.

JOHN W. PRUGH, The Real Estate Man will buy or sell your property. Money to loan. Twenty years successful business. Offices No. 6 North Detroit St. Both phones. 6-11F

FOR SALE—Modern house, frame, two story, six room and bath. Splendid neighborhood on Cented College St., Yellow Springs, O. For particulars call Bell phone 125Y or 15Y. 1-6

GRIEVE & HARNESSE, Xenia, O. REAL ESTATE A SPECIALTY. If you want to buy, sell, borrow, loan, rent, exchange or collect see us. All ways on the job. Both phones. 1-8

FOR SALE—13 room mouse and large corner lot, 735 East Church St. gas and city water, large barn. Address Adam Mabrey, Homestead Hotel, King's Mills, Ohio. 1-12

PUBLIC SALE

PUBLIC AUCTION—Saturday, Jan. 5th, at one o'clock in the afternoon I will sell at public auction at my residence on North Collier street, between Main and Market, household goods consisting of one kitchen cabinet, gas range, kitchen table, dishes, oak dining room extension table, side board and six chairs, sofa and rocking chairs, iron bed, and springs, 5x12 rug and other small articles. Terms cash. R. R. Grieve, Auct. J. R. SUTTON, 1-7

PUBLIC SALE—Jan. 12th at 10:30 a. m. at my residence on the Martha O'Connell farm, 4 miles south of Cedarville, just off the Federal pike, 4 horses, 8 milk cows, 8 head brood sows, 19 shoats, work harness, implements, feed. Auct. Webb & Taylor. Clerk, Ed. Sutton. O. W. BRICKELL.

PUBLIC SALE—Jan. 13th, at 12 o'clock sharp, at the residence of the late W. A. Collins on the Clifton and Wilberforce pike, 6 miles northeast of Xenia, 4 miles south of Yellow Springs, and 3 miles west of Cedarville. Two horses, 8 head of cattle, 42 sheep, 36 hogs, corn in field, silage, timothy hay, alfalfa hay, implements, Chevrolet automobile. H. C. Wilson, auctioneer. J. E. Hastings, clerk. A. G. COLLINS, EX.

PUBLIC SALE—Jan. 6th 1921, at 10 a. m. at our residence 6 miles north of Xenia, 5 miles west of Yellow Springs, off the Fairfield pike, 14 horses, 150 Big Type Poland China hogs, 42 Shropshire sheep, 47 dairy cattle, harness, dairy utensils, chickens, farm implements, etc. Monk & Weikert, auctioneers. Kent & Sons, Clerks. FRANK RUTZONG & SON.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Five room cottage on Cottage ave. Bell 670-R. 1-5

FOR RENT—Living room for gentleman in Gazette bldg. Call a-zette. 1-5

AUCTINEERS.

Call C. L. Taylor, Auctioneer JAMESTOWN, Ctl. Phone 3-65.

or see my Calendar AT WICKERSHAM HDW. STORE

MISCELLANEOUS.

CULL YOUR HENS. Keep the good ones for breeders. C. C. Cost. Bell 510W. 1-5

FOR SALE AUTOMOBILE.

AUTOMOBILE—Two seated, powerful engine for sale \$350. John Harbino, Allen building. 1-8

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We give you facts about our used cars. Buy or sell in best condition. You will not need to go to any expense on any car you buy from us.

1-1920 Buick, 6-cylinder touring closed top \$1475.00

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1-1920 Buick, 6-cylinder roadster \$1550.00

1-1918 Buick, 6-cylinder touring \$650.00

1-1917 Paige, 6-cylinder touring \$500.00

1-1911 Cadillac truck \$150.00

THE XENIA GARAGE COMPANY

Bell Phone 97 Opp. Shoe Factory Xenia, O. 1-11

FOR SALE HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and stoves of all kinds, bought and sold. Do not miss this. John Harbino, 11 N. King St. Bell 738 Ctl. 137. 1-13

SLUMP IN EXCESS PROFITS TAX IS CAUSE OF LOSS

Washington, Jan. 4.—Slump in excess profits taxes was the chief cause of a \$300,000,000 drop in ordinary receipts of the treasury in the first six months of the fiscal year ended Dec. 31. The deficits per record of income and profits taxes consisting chiefly of the collections of the fourth installment on December 15, stood at \$664,928,000 as compared with \$888,942,000 in December, 1919.

GO LOOK IN THE MIRROR

Do Your Eyes Look Back at You Dull and Drooping? Is Your Complexion Bad?

YOU NEED PEPTO-MANGAN A Really Wonderful Blood Tonic That Puts You Back on a Healthy Basis

Your face will tell you how your health is. Muddy complexions and drawn, pale, haggard faces usually mean bad blood, clogged with poison. It is dangerous. Your powers of resistance are low. Disease germs would have an easy time of it.

When you work too hard, you get fatigued. You probably keep it up for days, perhaps months, without feeling any bad effects. Sooner or later it tells in your blood. You are not yourself.

It is then your blood needs the help of that great tonic, Pepto-Mangan. It is a wonderful remedy that physicians have recommended for thirty years.

But be sure you get the genuine Pepto-Mangan. Ask for "Gude's" and be sure that the full name "Gude's Pepto-Mangan" is on the package. You can buy it in liquid form or in tablets, whichever you prefer; one has the same ingredients as the other and gives the same effect. Advertisement.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

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MARKETS

LIVE STOCK

PITTSBURGH

Cattle—Supply, Light; Market, Steady; Choice, \$15.50@12; Prime, \$11.50@12; Good, \$10.75@11.50; Tidy Butchers, \$11@11.50; Fair, \$8.50@10; Common \$8.50@10; Common to Good Fat Bulls, \$3@6; Common to Good Fat Cows, \$6@8; Heifers, \$8.50@10; Veal Calves, \$18.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 1600 head; Market \$11.25 higher; Prime Heavy Hogs, \$12; Mediums, \$12.75; Heavy Yorkers, \$12.75; Light Yorkers, \$13@12.25; Pigs, \$13@12.25; Roughs, \$7.50@10; Stags, \$7.50@10.

Sheep and lambs—Supply, 1,000 head; Market, Steady; Prime Wethers, \$6; Good Mixed, \$5@5.75; Fair Mixed, \$3@4; Culls not Common, \$1.50@2; Lambs, 12.50.

EAST BUFFALO

Cattle—Receipts 125 head; Market, Dull; Shipping Steers, \$8.50@11.50; Butcher Grades, \$7@10; cHifers, \$7@9.25; Cows, \$7@10; Bulls, \$2.50@7; Milk Cows and Stringers, \$4@12.50.

Calves—Receipts, 225; Markets, Active; Cull to Choice, \$1800; Sheep and lamb—Receipts, 1800; Markets, Active; Choice Lambs, \$12@12.50; Cull to Fair, \$7@11.75; Yearlings, \$8@10; Sheep, \$3@7.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,400; Market, Active; Yorkers, \$11.50@11.75; Pigs, \$11.50@11.75; Mixed \$11@11.50; Heavy \$10@10.75; Roughs, \$8.50@8.75; Stags \$5.50@7.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

Hogs—Receipts 25,000; market steady; bulk 9.25@9.75; top 9.90; heavyweight 9.20@9.45; medium weight 9.35@9.80; light weight 9.50@9.90; Light lights \$9.90@9.90; heavy packing sows, smooth 8.50@9.00; packing sows, rough \$8.25@8.50; pigs 9.50@10.00.

Cattle—Receipts 11,000; market, she stock steady to lower; steers steady; choice and prime 11.25@12.50; medium and good 9.25@11.25; good and choice 10.25@12.00; common and medium 7.50@10.25; butcher cattle, heifers 5.75@10.50; cows 5.25@9.00; canners and cutters, cows and heifers 3.50@5.25; canner steers 4.25@6.00; veal calves (light and heavyweight) 11.00@12.00; feeder calves 6.25@9.25; stocker steers 4.25@5.25; stocker cows and heifers 4.25@5.25.

Sheep—Receipts 13,000; market 25¢ higher; lambs (84 lbs. down) \$10.00@11.25; lambs, culls and common 7.50@8.50; yearling wethers \$8.00@9.50; ewes \$3.25@5.00; ewes, culls and common 1.50@2.75; breeding ewes \$3.50@5.00; feeder lambs 8.00@10.25.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Wheat opened 3-4 to 1-4c lower; corn 1-2c higher to 7-8c lower; oats unchanged to 1-8c higher; provisions unchanged. Opening:

Wheat, March 1.72@1.72 1-2; May 1.67 1-4@1.66.

Corn, Jan. 68 1-2c; May 74 5-8@74 3-8c; July 75 1-4@75 3-8c.

Oats, May 49 5-8@49 1-4c; July 48 7-8c.

Lard, May \$13.50.

Ribs, May \$12.12.

STORE KEEPER IS BEATEN AND ROBBED

Dayton, O., Jan. 5.—Beaten into unconsciousness and left for dead upon the floor of his feed store, Samuel Hurwitz, 35, was found with his pockets inside out and his cash register rifled last night. He is now in a semi-conscious condition at a local hospital and police are looking for a well dressed stranger and a dark green car, in which the former was seen leave the store.

WILSON DAM PLAN KILLED.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The House rejected by a vote of 125 to 132 an amendment to the sundry civil appropriation bill proposing to add \$10,000,000 to the measure as it came from the Appropriations Committee for work on the Wilson dam, part of the Muscle Shoals (Alabama) nitrate project. The action was taken in the Committee of the Whole House after two days of debate on the item. A final vote of the House will be necessary.

GARAGE DESTROYED

East Liverpool, O., Jan. 5.—Thirty automobiles were ruined in a fire of undetermined origin, which destroyed the Columbiana garage, a one story brick building, at Columbiana at noon today. According to reports from Columbiana, the fire was confined to the garage. The loss is estimated at \$30,000 partially covered by insurance.

SMITH ENDS PUBLIC CAREER

New York, Jan. 4.—Alfred E. Smith, retiring Governor of New York ended a career of 22 years in public life when he shed his hat and coat in the offices of the United States Trucking Corporation and went to work as Chairman of its Board of Directors. The former Governor announced he would never be a candidate for public office again.

TELEPHONE MERGER CHANGES NAME OF LOCAL BELL FIRM

The Central Union Telephone Company under which name the local Bell interests have been known, will henceforth be known as the Ohio Bell Telephone Company, according to the announcement of H. W. Cleaver, manager of the Xenia branch.

The change in name was affected through a merger of the Ohio interests of the Central Union Company with the branch known as the Cleveland Telephone Company, and the new name will be applied to all of the Bell interests in this state.

The Central Union Telephone Company operated in three states, according to Mr. Cleaver, the company covering Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. The deal with the Cleveland Telephone Company effects only the Ohio interests, the old Company retaining its interests in Indiana and Illinois.

INSTALL OFFICERS AT GRANGE MEETING

An interesting meeting was held Tuesday night of the Caesar Creek Grange, No. 2123, with the installation of the following officers, by S. H. Shawhan, the County Deputy, Master, J. R. Middleton; Overseer, C. B. Hazzard; Lecturer, Helen Haines; Treasurer, Frank Lucas; Secretary, O. C. Colvin; Steward, Albert Lewis; Assistant Steward, Wayne Middleton; L. A. Steward, Mary Jones; Gate Keeper, Claud Jack; Ceres, Mary Esther Haines; Flora, Verna Huffman; Pomona, Cordelia Miller; Business Agent, Albert Jones.

Short talks followed by Representative Bryson who outlined the Farm Bureau in the County, State and nation. A few reports were given by County Supt. Barnes followed by a short report by County Deputy Shawhan of the state Grange.

RAINBOW GIRL TO PLAY HERE JAN. 29

"The Rainbow Girl," the musical comedy in which Miss Katherine Shoup, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Marcus Shoup of this city, has the leading role, will appear in Xenia at the Opera House January 29, instead of January 18 as previously announced.

It was through the fact that Miss Shoup's home is in this city that the Standard Amusement Company was able to secure the offering in this city. A rearrangement of itinerary made the change in dates necessary and Miss Shoup and her supporting company will come here direct from Columbus, following an engagement at the Hartman theater in that city.

The company played at the Murphy Theater, Wilmington, earlier in the season, when many Xenians had the opportunity of seeing the local girl, but it is expected that the piece will attract even more attention when it plays here.

JUDGE KYLE GIVES COX RESIGNATION

Judge C. H. Kyle, newly appointed member of the state board of clemency, went to Columbus Wednesday, and will assume his position on the board Friday.

At the same time Judge Kyle will hand in his resignation of the Common Pleas Court bench here to Governor Cox, whose duty it is to appoint a successor to fill his unexpired term on the bench. The term of Judge Kyle would have run until February 9, at which time Judge-elect R. L. Gowdy will assume office.

It will be necessary that Governor Cox appoint a successor to Judge Kyle immediately. Attorney M. J. Hartley, Democrat, has been named to fill the unexpired term in rumors current in this city. Hartley while admitting that he had heard such rumors, said that he had received nothing official on the rumored appointment.

WILSON URGED TO ACCEPT

Washington, Jan. 5.—A joint resolution instructing President Wilson to accept the invitation of the League of Nations to appoint an American representative on the league's commission on disarmament was introduced by Representative Alvin T. Fuller of Massachusetts, Republican.

RUSSIAN FUND QUESTIONED

Washington, Jan. 5.—A report showing the total of all government funds given to aid the Kerensky Government in Russia is requested of the Treasury in a resolution by Senator George W. Norris, of Nebraska, Republican, adopted today by the Senate.

STUDEBAKER CO. TO OPEN

South Bend, Ind., Jan. 5.—The Studebaker Corporation will resume work on a schedule production of 90 automobiles daily Jan. 10, it was announced here today. The output will be increased gradually until it reaches 500 cars daily it was said.

ALMA GLUCK ILL.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 5.—Alma Gluck, grand opera singer, who was to have appeared here last night was forced to cancel her engagement by an acute attack of laryngitis which developed shortly after she left Chicago Monday. A throat specialist has advised that she take a complete rest for several days.

MUST RAISE TRACK

Washington, January 4.—Orders of the Board of Public Utilities of Paterson, N. J., requiring the Erie Railroad to elevate its main line so as to eliminate 15 grade crossings in that city, were held valid by the Supreme Court.

Facsimile Of De Valera's Farewell Message

"Land of the Free and Home of the Brave"—Farewell! May you ever remain, as I have known you, land of the generous-hearted and the kindly. May you stand through time as they would have you who love you—Liberty's chosen champion, and oh may you never know yourself the agency of a foreign master's hand.

I came to you on a holy mission, the mission of freedom, and to my people who sent me, not indeed as I had dreamt it with its mission accomplished, but with a message that will abide in the dark days that have come upon them and that will inspire the acceptance of such sacrifices as must yet be made.

So fare well—Young, mighty, fortunate land; no wish that I can express can measure the depth of my affection for you or my desire for your welfare and your glory. And farewell to the many dear friends I have made and the tens of thousands who, for the reason that I was the representative of a noble nation and a stored appealing cause, gave me honors they deemed to be theirs— you will not need to be assured that Ireland will not forget me, and that Ireland will not be ungrateful.

De Valera
Dec. 1920

Facsimile of the message written in President de Valera's own handwriting on two sheets plain note paper just before he left this country to return to Ireland, where he has arrived in safety. It was secured exclusively by the International News Service and released following the announcement of Harry Bo land, his secretary, that de Valera had reached Ireland.

Beauty Chats

CORRESPONDENCE

Fre—Sallow skin on the neck is very often the result of collars that rub the neck, irritating the skin and often rubbing in dirt or disease. Use a cleansing cream on the neck before you take your daily bath. Do not try to use peroxide on your little girl's hair. Children's light hair often darkens as they grow and it is more becoming in the new shade. You may use the juice of half a lemon in the rinse water to lighten it, and you may give it as many sun baths as possible.

Anne—If you will rub the part of the face where the superfluous hair grows with a little pumice stone it will keep down the growth, but be sure you do not irritate the skin. Rubbing it with a solution of half peroxide of hydrogen and half ammonia will discourage this growth of hair, but probably will not kill it. Pulling the thick hair out will not bring in a heavier growth.

Mr. I. C. M.—I cannot tell you exactly what your skin trouble is, without knowing more about your general symptoms. Use only a very mild soap on the face, and if this makes it smart, use cleansing cream and cold water and no soap for a time. If it seems very bad I would advise you to see your doctor.

Cassini H.—Do not try to darken brown hair to make it black. It would be impossible to make it pretty enough to justify the change. With such a charming combination as brown hair, brown eyes, clear skin and high color, you will look well in the brunette shades—henna, orange, brown, yellow, red, bronze, and practically every pastel tint. Certain types of shoes will make the instep seem higher. You will have to experiment until you find which becomes you most.

Mr. W. B. A. B.—I am not

BIG STEEL COMPANY ANNOUNCES CUT

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 4.—Just before noon today, the Jones & Laughlin Steel company, largest of the independents, announced a reduction in selling prices on pipe and other tubular products to the level of the industrial board prices established March 21, 1919. This is an average reduction of \$7 per ton on all classifications of pipe goods. There are so many percentages, lengths, shapes and sizes that detailed quotations are not practical, it was stated. This brings all pipe prices to the level now quoted by the National Tube Company, of the United States Steel corporation. It was also stated that these prices are rock bottom and there will be no further cuts. The Republic Iron and Steel company, of Youngstown, made the first break in pipe prices last week.

NEW BURLINGTON

Trevor Haydock and family spent Sunday with his brother James Haydock and family near Oakland, Indiana. Earl White of Kokomo, Indiana has been the guest of his aunt Miss Emma White and Mrs. Etta Moss.

Mrs. Josephine Blair and family entertained relatives Sunday in honor of her grandson Herman Blair and bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson of Dayton were the week end guests of Mrs. Josephine Blair.

Miss Lulu Ewing is confined to her bed with illness.

Mrs. Oscar Taylor and sons Carl, Robert and John of near Alpha were guests of William Ewing and family this week.

The whooping cough is among the children. Only 19 out of the 22 primary children being in school on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. William Compton were called to Beecroft by the illness of their daughter Mrs. Robert Stanley.

Mr. Reynolds of Xenia visited during the Christmas season with his friend Lewis Robinson at his home in South Burlington.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. Church meet Thursday afternoon at the parsonage.

The W. F. M. S. will meet Saturday afternoon January 3rd at the home of Mrs. Edward Steadon.

Miss Eleanor Haydock entertained a number of young people at her home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stephens entertained several young people Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Stephens sisters Katharine and Alice Swonger of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Barwell Miller and baby and Miss Nellie Dunlap visited their brother Earl Dunlap and family at Middleton this week.

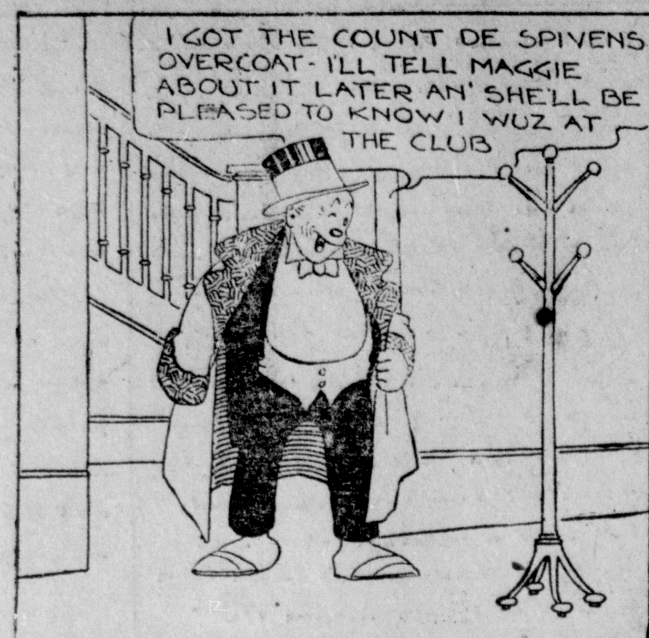
Miss Louise Carr of Spring Valley spent the week with her son Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr and family east of town.

Miss Erma Evans of the Xenia pike spent a few days this week with her cousin Miss Alice Carr.

BOATS IN DISTRESS.

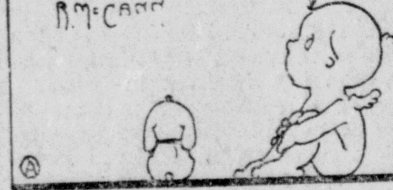
London, Jan. 5.—A Lloyd's dispatch from t. Michaels, Azores, reports that the American steamship Faraby has been wrecked after dragging her anchors in a gale and going ashore. The British steamship Palmon has sent a wireless message that she has encountered a heavy gale, and is in distress in latitude 55 north, longitude 135 west.

BRINGING UP FATHER



THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

When looking up at stars I feel like being honest, strong and wise—I wish that I could always keep a little starlight in my eyes.



TWENTY YEARS AGO

Manager Schmidt of the rink is arranging to give dancing soirees on each Thursday night, which will no doubt be greatly appreciated by the young people. He is sending out some very neat invitations for these weekly dances.

Mr. Frank Lucas, one of the night brakemen in the Little Miami yards has been suffering from rheumatism for a few days past and has been unable for duty.

School will be resumed on Monday, when the hundreds of children throughout the city will again resume their tramp with books and slates. One of the things that has added greatly to the enjoyment of the youngsters is the excellent skating which the various ponds have afforded, and the children have made the best of their opportunities and have enjoyed it to the utmost.

The contractors are beginning to make inquiries for plans and specifications for the new system of sewers to be put in by the city. The commission is now preparing to advertise for bids for the work but it will be several weeks before the contract can be let.

The residents of Orient Hill are circulating a petition for the construction of a new school building for the accommodation of the children of that part of the city. Most of the children now attend the Central building and the Hill residents want a building nearer home and

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If you suffer from bleeding, itching, blind or protruding piles, you can easily treat yourself at home with Mrs. Summers' Pile Suppositories, and avoid needless expense and suffering. Safe, healing, soothing. Users report speedy relief and recovery. Ask your druggist, or send today for FREE TRIAL, with useful information, by addressing The Summers Medical Company, Box P, South Bend, Ind.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

MENU HINT.
Breakfast.
Cereal Country Sausage
Apple Sauce
Cornmeal Muffins Coffee
Luncheon.
Cheese Fondue Spice Rolls
Tea
Dinner.
Cream of Turnip Soup
Boiled Mutton Savory Sauce
Scalloped Potatoes
Steamed Squash
Loganberry Gelatine

NOVEL RECIPES.

Salted Pecans.—Blanch nuts in boiling water. Remove from water and dry thoroughly. Mix with a very little salt, spread on oiled paper and dry in a slow oven.

Creamed Cabbage.—Wash the cabbage thoroughly and cut in pieces. Cook in boiling salted water half an hour or until tender. Drain, chop fine and to each two and one-half cups cabbage add one and one-half cups of white sauce. Pour into a buttered shallow baking dish and sprinkle with buttered crumbs. Bake in moderate oven until crumbs are brown.

Fried Parsnips.—Boil parsnips until tender, then drop in cold water and rub off the skin. Cut in inch slices, season with salt, then dip in flour on both sides and brown. Or the parsnips may be mashed, mixed with seasonings and flour and shaped like meat cakes and fried.

Marguerites.—Beat two eggs thoroughly. Add one cup brown sugar, one-half teaspoon salt and a few drops vanilla and beat until light. Add one-half cup sifted flour and one-quarter teaspoon baking powder mixed with three-quarters cup chopped nut meats, reserving a few nuts for garnishing. Pour into well-buttered pans and

will ask the school board for a building on Hill street, at the most convenient position.

Protect the Children
Healthy Blood and a Healthy System is a Child's best protection against Grip and Influenza. Give them GROVE'S IRON TONIC SYRUP. 75c

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There is one safe, dependable treatment that relieves itching torture and that cleanses and soothes the skin.

Ask any druggist for a 35c or \$1 bottle of Zemo and apply it as directed. Soon you will find that irritations, pimples, blackheads, eczema, blotches, ringworm and similar skin troubles will disappear.

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bake in a moderate oven. Whole or hopped nuts may be put on top of the cakes just before baking.

OLD-FASHIONED PIES.

The crust used for this class of pies is usually referred to as "plain crust," though it is quite rich enough for the purpose. It is made by rubbing a half cup each of butter and lard into two and one-half cups of bread flour or three cups of pastry flour, adding a saltspoon each of salt and baking powder. When thoroughly mixed add enough ice water to make a soft dough. This quantity makes two medium sized pies.

New England Apple Pie.—Line the pie plate with the crust already described. Pare, quarter and core a half-dozen tart apples, then slice them thin. Fill the pie plate, dot the apples with little lumps of butter and sprinkle with a half cup of brown sugar.

Take a teaspoon of ground ginger and a heaping teaspoon of flour and beat smooth with three-quarters cup of New Orleans molasses. When well mixed pour over the apples and put on the top crust, leaving the usual vents for escaping steam, but sealing the edges well together.

This pie is apt to cook out in the oven, and the addition of a little paper cone at one of the vents is a help in carrying away the steam more quickly, which is one of the causes of its cooking out.

Dixie Cinnamon Apple Pie.—For one large pie one quart of sliced apples is required; the pie plate is lined with a layer of pastry and filled with the sliced apples. A cupful of sugar, a tablespoon of flour and some powdered cinnamon are sprinkled over the apples and, last of all, a quarter of a cup of water. It is baked in a moderate oven for forty-five minutes.

BIJOU TO-NIGHT

ALSO

Thursday Matinee and Night

The Story of a Woman who Lived for Excitement.
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FOX NEWS

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By George Mc Manus

The Woman He Married

BY JANE PHELPS

A DISCUSSION ABOUT CLOTHES CHAPTER 56.

"That's a stunning dress!" Dick said when on Sunday I put on my Felice gown to wear to church. "It's all nonsense that women can't look well unless they bankrupt a man for clothes. That looks a million dollars. I suppose it is because you have good taste and know what to buy."

"I am glad you like it," I returned. I well knew Dick thought I had purchased my dress with the \$40 he had given me. He would expect me to get a waist of of it as well. I almost laughed aloud at his ignorance. How easy it was for a woman to fool a man about clothes. Yet I hated myself for the thought. Dear old Dick! I would be awfully glad when I didn't have to, when I could say openly: "I bought this dress at Felice's and it cost—" whatever it did.

Really I should be ever so much happier. It wasn't natural for me to deceive; rather, it hadn't been when I was a girl at home. But in New York one saw so many beautiful things, the women were so chic, and one couldn't dress without spending money. So I had done things I would not have dreamed of doing at home. And Dick would be no happier—if he knew—than would I when the necessity for deceiving him was passed.

So I argued, stultifying conscience. There was one thing I could not do without would not—that was handsome stylish clothes. I tried to save in other ways, pinching in buying for the table, although I took great pride in my cookery; doing

believed I had a woman do, so that I might have a hat, gloves or shoes like those Mildred Stowell wore.

I never even considered that Mr. Stowell was a wealthy man, and Dick only a clerk. I went out with Mildred, and so I wanted, perhaps naturally, to look as well as she did.

It is a great mistake—I found out by bitter experience—to attempt to keep up social relations with people in a different social and financial strata. It costs to be in society, costs both money and time. To be just on the fringe, to know one or two people who have and can do so much more than is possible for oneself, leads to all sorts of things—temptation, trouble, divorce, et cetera. But like all foolish young women, I saw nothing of that then. To me it was most desirable to be known as Mildred Stowell's friend and intimate. I felt proud when Clara Watson and Laura Burbank acted jealous because I had lunched with Mildred, or been invited to a bridge or a dinner at her home. I recall once Laura said:

"I couldn't go if I were invited so it is just as well I don't know them."

"Why couldn't you go if you were asked?" I inquired.

"I couldn't afford to return her invitations, and I should feel under obligations, something I hate. Then I couldn't afford the clothes to train with her crowd. I don't see how you can."

"You forget Dick's father left him some money!" I explained rather some of the heavy work, that Dick loftily. I would have liked to say

more, but I was always afraid the girls would say something before Dick, and he would blurt out something to embarrass me. So I changed the subject as I always did when money was talked of.

But I had no objection to discussing clothes. I showed the girls my new dress I had bought of Felice. They had seen it when I gave my dinner for Dick's sister, but wanted to examine it.

"It is perfectly lovely!" Laura enthused. "I'll bet you paid a big price for it."

"Not so much. You see, Mrs. Stowell is such a wonderful customer that they made special prices to her and her friends. Then too, I have all the time I want to pay for them."

"You mean that you run in debt for clothes?" asked Laura in a horrified tone.

"Certainly! Why not? It is more convenient at times to pay than at other times. Why not take advantage of it?"

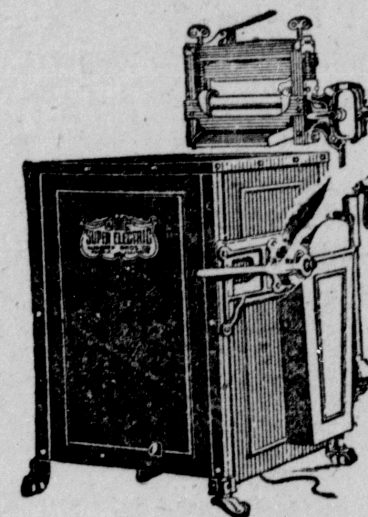
"Those smart places are awfully particular! I'll bet she would not have trusted you five cents worth if she didn't know Dick's father had left him something."

"I am going to her at once and have a gown if it's the last thing I ever do!" declared Clara.

"I wish I could, but Tom and I promised each other to save for a home, and I couldn't be so extravagant," Laura said, but a little sigh escaped her as she again looked at my gown.

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MASONS CONFER HIGH DEGREES ON SEN. HARDING

President-elect Goes To
Columbus To Receive
Honors
HOLDS CONFERENCE
Speculation Rife as to Se-
lection of Secretary
Of Labor.

Marion, O., Jan. 5.—Warren G. Harding, master mason, laid aside affairs of state today to take up the square and the compass of ancient rite and to be presented to the masonic world as a member of the highest degree of the craft.

A group of 32nd degree masons from Marion accompanied the candidate carrying with them a masonic ring, to be presented to him when the fraternal bonds shall have been added to those friendship already existing.

Before the departure, the president-elect held brief conference with Fred W. Upham, treasurer of the Republican national committee and Clarence M. Woolley of the American Radiator company who discussed the business and labor situation.

The visit yesterday of W. N. Doak, regarded as the representative of the four railroad brotherhoods, has caused increased speculation as to the probable selection of a secretary of labor. Doak's declaration that the wage earners of the country felt that the man chosen should "carry a union card" has placed emphasis on the candidacy of President John Lewis of the United Mine Workers and has added the names of W. G. Lee of Chicago, James O'Connell of Pennsylvania and others to the list supposed to be under the consideration.

Free predictions made by both labor leaders and employees of possible industrial strife have lent importance to the labor appointment, as it is felt a selection not antagonistic to either organized labor or employers would go far in averting discord.

Doak stated when asked about possible labor troubles that the brotherhoods were concerned exclusively with their own affairs and contemplated no sympathetic strikes whatsoever.

Senator Harding prepared for his experiences as a Masonic neophyte by aiding last night in initiating a number of candidates into Canby lodge No. 51 Knights of Pythias of which he is a member.

SEVERAL THOUSAND THEATRICAL FOLK ARE UNEMPLOYED

New York, Jan. 5.—Five thousand actors and actresses are unemployed in this city and many others are stranded at distant points, victims of wide-spread failure of road companies during the last year.

This statement was made by the Actors' Equity Association which announced it had undertaken the task of succoring the unfortunate stage folk, especially those thrown upon their own resources in distant cities.

The greater proportion of road failures the association asserted was due to irresponsible managers, who entered the profession during the World War, when the financing of theatrical projects comparatively was easy.

From September, 1919, to the end of 1920 more than 30 companies failed while on the road, the statement said.

WARNS AGAINST REPRISAL.
Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 5.—In his message to the Democratic Legislature today, Governor A. H. Roberts urged that no reprisal legislation be attempted against the incoming Republican Governor. The date of the inauguration this month has not been fixed.

SENATE CHAPLAIN BECOMES PASTOR OF TENN. CHURCH



Rev. Forrest J. Prettyman, chaplain of the U. S. senate, has been appointed pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, of Knoxville, Tenn. He has been senate chaplain since 1913.

PACIFIC FLEET ON WAY TO PANAMA FOR MANEUVERS

Will Meet Atlantic Squadron For Battle Practice

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 5.—The vanguard of the Pacific fleet has steamed south for the winter maneuvers off Panama, where the Pacific and Atlantic fleets will meet for battle practice and athletic contests.

By noon Friday nearly half of the Pacific fleet, about forty vessels will be heading for the tropics.

The vessels which left here were the hospital ship Mercy and the tugs Sonoma and Ontario. The cruiser New York which left San Pedro was to join them off this port.

The fleet leaving here Friday will join the battleship fleet from San Pedro and San Francisco 25 miles off this port.

About forty vessels will still be based at San Diego harbor while the fleet is south.

Returning north the warships will again be in American waters March 8, according to present schedule.

The 14 airplanes and the conveying vessels enroute to Panama since Thursday will resume flight to Acapulco. They are laying over at Banderas bay, where the two giant NC type planes joined the twelve F-5-L planes late Monday after a fast trip across the gulf of California from Magdalena Bay. Today's trip will be 439 miles.

UNION OF AUSTRIA HUNGARY AGITATED

London, Jan. 5.—A coup d'etat is believed imminent in Hungary and Austria when former Emperor Charles will be invited to return to the throne, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Rome today quoting reports received in that city from Budapest. It added that the plotters intend to declare a union of Hungary and Austria.

OUTCASTS MAKE CANADIAN COLONY

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—The Ottawa Journal published a story that Oscar Tokol, former Premier of Finland and in 1918 condemned to death by the Russian Soviet Government, had settled on a farm at North Temiskaminc with 39 fellow exiles.

WAR FINANCE CORPORATION MACHINERY AGAIN SET IN MOTION BY ACTION OF U. S. CONGRESS

SINN FEINERS ARE REPORTED KILLED IN SEVERE FIGHT

Irish Battle British Police
Near Meelin, Report.

London, Jan. 5.—Sixteen Sinn Feiners were reported today to have been killed in a battle with British soldiers or policemen near Meelin, Ireland.

The first report of the fighting was said to be official but later the Irish office announced that it had no confirmation of it.

According to unconfirmed reports an attempt had been made to ambush the crown forces. The remaining members of the attacking party were said to have been captured and all their arms and ammunition confiscated.

Dublin, Jan. 5.—Sinn Fein attackers used machine guns as well as rifles in an attack upon two British military lorries in the region of Meelin, near Cork, according to information given out by officers attached to British military headquarters today.

The officers were without confirmation of the report that 15 or 16 men had been killed in the ambush.

MAUDE ADAMS WILL RETURN TO STAGE EARLY NEXT FALL

Denial Made That Actress
Has Retired Permanently

New York, Jan. 5.—Reports that Maude Adams had retired permanently from the stage were met last night with the announcement by A. L. Erlanger and Charles B. Dillingham that she would make a re-appearance under their management early next fall.

"Miss Adams has never had any intention of giving up her work as an actress," the announcement said.

"She is at present in splendid health having completely recovered from the illness that compelled her to abandon her tour in the autumn of 1918."

It was explained that in addition to appearing in regular productions each fall, Miss Adams would be seen every spring in Shakespeare and other classics.

FORMER BASEBALL PLAYER USES SKILL TO FELL BURGLAR

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 5.—"Ah wants what's in dat cash register," demanded John Moore, 23, Louisville, Ky., negro, pointing a huge pistol at Edward Sheldon, manager of a Polz grocery on Third Street.

"There it is, take it," replied Sheldon.

The would-be robber started to carry out the cash register when Sheldon, who is a baseball catcher, threw a two pound weight at the negro striking him on the head and felling him.

The negro attempted to rise and Sheldon threw another weight which landed on the negro's skull. A third weight found a lodging place on the back's "hardest spot," and he lay unconscious with his skull fractured. Hospital physicians say Moore is dying.

NO NAVAL ALLIANCE WITH CANADA, SAID

Washington, Jan. 5.—The United States has no plans for a naval alliance with Canada on the Pacific, Secretary of the Navy Daniels stated today.

3 MORE ROBBERIES OCCUR IN SPITE OF CLEVELAND POLICE

No More Police Protection
In Sight for Lake
City.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 5.—Despite the redoubled vigor with which the police department is attempting to cope with the wave of crime, three robberies marked the early hours of last night.

Joseph Novogroder, a real estate dealer, was robbed of \$10,000 in liberty bonds and a diamond ring, while driving home to dinner last night.

A youth entered a jewelry store at 3770 West 25th street and grabbed a tray of plain gold rings, making his escape.

An armed man entered a confectionary store on Wakefield Ave., N. W. late yesterday, holding up the woman proprietor and securing \$40 from the register.

Meanwhile citizens learned that no increase in the city police force is possible at this time unless funds are provided through means of a loan. To meet the situation an offer was made by American Legion posts to furnish 1,000 members to act as plain clothes policemen.

The chamber of commerce at the same time took steps to ask the enactment of a law providing for a minimum penalty of 20 years for carrying a gun and life imprisonment for stealing an automobile.

TOBACCO GROWERS REFUSE LOW OFFERS; TAKE PRODUCT AWAY

Burley Region Scene Of
Trouble As Prices
Fall.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 5.—With farmers hauling their tobacco away from warehouses and returning it to their barns and every market of importance announced as closing for at least one week, the situation in the central Kentucky tobacco region last night was in a state of uncertainty. Just what will happen none could be found to offer forecast, but growers, buyers and others interested in the crop indicated that they were ready for anything.

Delegations from various important markets in the district visited the Burley Tobacco Growers' Association office here and announced that other places would follow the lead of Lexington.

Farmers' mass meeting in some counties decided to hold the 1920 crop and cut the 1921 crops. Farmers began hauling their tobacco out of the Lexington Warehouses, in which there were about 7,000,000 pounds when the sales started.

STATE DEPARTMENT TO PASS ON CASE OF IRISH STOWAWAY

Mayor of Cork May Not
Be Permitted To Stay
in United States.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The state department will determine whether Daniel O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork who arrived in Newport News last night as a stowaway, will be permitted to remain in the United States the immigration bureau of the department of labor announced today.

The department of labor will take no action in the case until complete records have been received here, it was announced.

Peter MacSwiney, brother of the late lord mayor of Cork, who arrived with O'Callaghan, does not come under the jurisdiction of the department of labor as he held a passport issued by an American consul.

REALISTIC PRESS AGENT STUNT CAUSES TROUBLE

Denver, Colo., Jan. 5.—A "realistic" press agent stunt nearly disrupted the home of Archie Young, a traveling salesman of this city.

A series of postcards containing endearing terms and signed by a woman calling attention to a "risk scene in a movie that is expected to show here soon reached Young's home during his absence and were read by his wife. When he returned last night a tragedy was only averted by the arrival of police who explained the nature of the cards to Mrs. Young.

WILL ISSUE BONDS Two Members Must Be Added to Corporation to Make Quorum

Washington, Jan. 5.—Secretary of the Treasury Houston summoned his advisors into conference today to determine methods of reviving the export loan operations of the war finance corporation. Sixty or possibly ninety days may elapse before credit machinery can be set up to provide the benefits directed by congress when it passed the measure over the president's veto, officials said.

Plotation of a large issue of corporation bonds to provide credit for shipments of farm products probably will be decided upon. The size of such a bond issue and other details in connection with revival of the corporation's export loan functions are to be determined.

An unexpected delay also may appear through the necessity of adding two members to the corporation. When the loan operations were suspended, two vacancies were created. The corporation now has three directors. Revival of the loan work necessitates the filing of the two vacancies, to provide a quorum, under terms of the law creating that body.

Secretary Houston withheld discussion of the extent of the work and the manner of its accomplishment until the revival measure. With its associates he devoted considerable time today to a study of the provisions of the bill and of the methods that best can be followed to carry out the will of congress.

First there was a review of the corporation's affairs showing its current assets to be about \$73,000,000. This represents cash due from the United States treasury, and includes the sale of government obligations to the secretary. But this book balance could not be used to finance export shipments, it was said, unless the treasury decides on such step through sale of a corresponding amount of treasury certificates of indebtedness.

CHILDREN DEFENDED BY ADMIRAL WHO WANTS ADMISSION

Officer Would Adopt Small
Russians; U. S. Officials
Object.

New York, Jan. 5.—Seven Russian children, brought here for adoption by Rear Admiral Newton A. McCully, former American High Commissioner at Sebastopol, were ordered to be excluded from the country by an Immigration Board of Inquiry at Ellis Island.

The order fell like a wet blanket on the hopes of the youngsters and the Rear Admiral, who had played Santa Claus and father to them all the way from their native land on the collier Ramona. They were to be his wards and his heirs, sharing his home at Washington and enjoying all educational facilities he could give to them.

But the Rear Admiral announced that he would appeal to the Secretary of Labor; that he was ready to file as many and as high bonds as would be asked and that he intended to fight to the last ditch for admittance of the children. In the meantime the children will be detained at Ellis Island. The technical exclusion ruling officials was that the children were liable to become public charges.

Three of the Russian children are to come to America later for adoption by the Admiral, making his brood 10. This would keep him "busy during all shore leaves," he said, as he is a bachelor.

His niece in charge of Washington home during his absence, would help him care for the children. Rear Admiral McCully said, adding that he expected she would be "just as tickled as I am."

GERMAN RAILWAY WORKERS MAY STRIKE

London, Jan. 5.—A majority of the German railwaymen in the Ruhr district and the Rhine Valley have voted in favor of a general strike unless they are granted a wage increase, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Berlin today.

Reports current in London have stated that a newly created Canadian navy is to co-operate with the United States navy in the Pacific, using American naval bases. These reports are entirely unfounded, Secretary Daniels said.

FOUR AUTO BANDITS RAID LOAN BANK

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Four auto bandits made a daring raid on the Nathan Swartz bank in North Clark street, here today and escaped with money and jewelry, valued at several thousand dollars.

WOULD ESTABLISH CAMPS Washington, Jan. 4.—Locations of the large divisional camps of the new army near Large Cities, was advocated today by Secretary of War Baker before the house military affairs committee on camps and cantonments.

CLEVELAND JUDGE ON TRIAL FOR KAGY MURDER



William H. McGannon, Chief Justice of the Municipal Court of Cleveland, Ohio, who is on trial charged with second degree murder in the slaying of Harold S. Kagy last May. McGannon is shown on the witness stand testifying in his own defense. The State's chief witness at the trial, Miss May Neeley, a nurse, for sixteen years a friend of McGannon, swore, according to reports from Cleveland, that she saw McGannon shoot Kagy.

WOULD ESTABLISH VOTING MACHINES IN OHIO BOOTHS

Dozen Other Measures Are
Thrown Into House
Hopper.

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—Provision for the use of voting machines in Ohio elections is made in a bill introduced in the house by Rep. Speidel, of Montgomery county.

A dozen additional measures were thrown into the house hopper.

Repeal of the non partisan judicial ballot, thereby restoring candidates for judgeships, from the supreme court to municipal courts, to party tickets, is sought in a bill introduced by Rep. Kuhns, of Montgomery county.

One bill, by Rep. Taft, Cincinnati, seeks to permit taxing districts, without a vote of the electorate, to issue deficiency bonds to meet current operating expenses, the interest and sinking fund to retire the bonds being kept inside the Smith one per cent tax law limitations. Similar laws were enacted last year and two years ago.

An initiated bill provides for a separate state board to examine and license chiropractors. The bill is backed by the Ohio Chiropractic Association. A similar measure was defeated at the last legislative session.

A bill requiring the state auditor, instead of private accountants, to audit the books of conservancy districts, including the Miami Conservancy district, was introduced by Rep. Mathews, of Scioto county.

Rep. Burns, of Marietta, introduced bills permitting municipalities, instead of the state, to collect coal and oil rentals from school and municipal lands located in municipalities, and permitting possession of fish nets when not intended for use.

The may of jurors is raised to \$3 from \$2 in a bill introduced by Rep. Bond of Belmont county.

SEAPLANES TO JOIN FLEET.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 5.—The seaplanes NC5 and NC6 were reported by radio yesterday to have left Magdalena Bay, Mexico, for Banderas Bay to join the 12 F-5-L seaplanes that are flying to Balboa, Canal Zone. Today the 14 seaplanes are scheduled to fly to Acapulco, a distance of 439 miles.

Thrilling Story of Rescue of Balloonists Comes Out

Only 60 Minutes Stood Between Airmen and Certain Death.

Cochrane, Ont., Jan. 5.—Bare 60 minutes stood between the three American balloonists of the A-5598 and death when they landed in the Canadian wilderness on Dec. 14. If they had continued their flight another hour they would have been over James Bay where a landing meant certain death amidst the ice wastes. The balloonists told their guides that they considered it an act of God that they had landed where they did and subsequently made their way to safety.

BRITISH START NEW PEACE PLAN WITH IRELAND

Lloyd George Agrees to
Deal Directly With
DeValera.

GIVE IRISH CONTROL English Will Allow Courts Of Ireland To Hear Crimes.

London, Jan. 5.—The return of Eamonn DeValera has given an impetus to Irish peace negotiations, according to indications today.

Premier Lloyd George has allowed it to become known that he is ready to treat directly with the "president of the Irish republic," said the Daily Express today. "If the negotiations are arranged they will refer to new amendments to the home rule act granting an extension of powers to the Irish for self government."

London, Jan. 5.—Irish peace negotiations took a most important turn today when the Irish offices announced it would not demand the surrender of alleged Irish murderers before the peace discussions are concluded but instead will turn over their names and records to the South Ireland parliament, leaving the new Irish government to deal with them.

This was a direct face about from the previous attitude of the British government. The government had previously announced that the Republicans wanted on murder charges would be surrendered before the peace discussions could be continued.

Officials of the Irish office expressed belief that a compromise movement from Eamonn DeValera is imminent.

The south Island parliament has not yet been established. It is provided for in the home rule bill.

Advices from Dublin report that it is probable Dail Eireann, the Sinn Fein parliament will convene at the end of this week. DeValera is expected to issue a statement within 24 hours addressed to "all Irishmen at home and abroad." The contents have not been revealed.

The suggestion that DeValera advised a compromise with the English government and the acceptance of the home rule bill is authoritatively denied. On the contrary it is stated by Sinn Fein leaders that DeValera is hostile to the home rule act.

SINN FEINER ARRESTED Outbreak of Violence at Cork Follows Extension of Martial Law

Dublin, Jan. 5.—J. J. Walsh, Sinn Fein member of parliament from Cork city was arrested early today by the British police.

The extension of the martial law zone to include the counties of Clare, Waterford, Wexford and Kilkenny and the city of Waterford was followed by an outbreak of violence at Cork. A bomb was thrown while a detachment of policemen were crossing Parnell bridge and six were wounded. The policemen opened fire with rifles and machine guns wounding seven civilians, five of whom are in serious condition in Cork hospitals.

The police were active in Dublin throughout the morning. Black and tans searched at the house in Mill street. All the males were arrested but later seven of them were released. The families were compelled to give up their firearms.

Cork dispatches report great consternation in that city over the attack at Parnell bridge. Fears were expressed that the British troops would make official reprisals by burning homes.

DEATH SENTENCE FOR SLAYER Camden, N. J., Jan. 5.—Frank J. James, convicted of the killing of David S. Paul, Camden hawk messenger, learned that a sentence of death in an electric chair will be imposed on him Feb. 14.

"\$10 ENOUGH FOR INAUGURATION"—BORAH

Washington, Jan. 5.—"Why is an inaugural ball—and if so, how much? That's the riddle propounded by Senator Borah, who is 'dead agin' the proposal to revive the inaugural ball on March 4 with all its old time brilliancy and splendor. Four years ago \$70,000 was appropriated for the inaugural ceremonies. This year it is said he expense will reach \$100,000. 'I would like to limit the amount to be spent to \$10, which is enough money to pay the President's automobile fare to the Capitol and back,' says Senator Borah.

And if the Senator finds his ears tingling with such warmth that in the coldest day this Winter, he'll know the reason. Fair society maids and matrons are all talking and think his opposition to the bill is "just horrid."



Items of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Plegman, of Cincinnati, are guests of Mr. and Charles Jacobs, at 231 East Main street.

Mrs. E. J. Eberly of this city has to Asheville, N. C., to spend the rest of the winter with her son, E. R. Eberly.

Get it at Donges.

M. and Mrs. Mack Krekler of Hamilton, Mrs. Joseph Mullen of Columbus and Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Dean of near Xenia were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mullen of this city.

The Union Meeting of churches will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Friends Church, Chestnut and High streets. Rev. Albert Read, pastor of the First Baptist Church will preach the sermon.

Mrs. James Beven, of Wilmington, who was operated on at McClellan Hospital for appendicitis Monday, is recovering rapidly.

Mrs. Charles A. Davis of North Galloway street, returned from Cincinnati Tuesday, and will open the kindergarten Monday, Jan. 10.

Charles Hawkins of the Fairground road, left Monday for Columbus, where he is planning on taking the short course in agriculture, at the Ohio State University.

Miss Loretta Richards left Wednesday to re-enter St. Joseph's on the Ohio, after spending the holidays with her parents in this city.

Mrs. Martin Daly, who has been the guest of Mrs. John Daly and Mrs. James Fletcher, returned to her home in Springfield Tuesday.

Mrs. C. O. Rankin has been confined to her home on East Main street, for several days, suffering from the grip.

D. E. Turner of the Hook road, left Wednesday for Tampa, Fla., where he will spend the remaining winter months.

There will be no prayer meeting at the First Presbyterian Church to night.

Furs Wanted—I will pay higher prices, Saturday for Skunks and Rats. Bring them in. Wm. Marshall.

Miss Margaret O'Connor, who has been spending the holidays in this city has returned to Miami University, Oxford, where she is instructor in Home Economics.

Virginia Girls, Xenia Opera House, Friday evening, Jan. 7, 1921. Tickets now on sale at Sohns Drug Store. 1-7

Howard Harper, of Jamestown, who was formerly employed at the Sayre & Hemphill drug store, this city, left Wednesday for Florida where he has accepted a position.

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Mrs. Harry D. Smith has been confined to her home for several days suffering with tonsillitis and a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zeigfeld of Columbus, Ohio, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clifford of South Galloway street.

The Xenia Grange No. 1788 will meet Friday night January 7th at the Junior Hall. All members are urged to be present at 7 o'clock for business meeting. At 8 o'clock the hall will be open to all farmers for the installation services. Secretary, adv-1-5

Mrs. Patrick Cronin has been ill with pneumonia for about a week, at her home on Maple street, and is now reported as improving.

Mr. John Brennan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tewell, Mr. and Mrs. Ray H. Brennan and relatives desire to express their appreciation of the kindness shown them in their deep bereavement by friends, neighbors and community and gratitude for the beautiful floral emblems of sympathy.

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Regular meeting of Phoenix Rebekah Lodge Thursday, Jan. 6th. Installation. Sec.

The Rev. Father Maurice J. Norbauer who has been spending several weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Norbauer, left Wednesday for Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana, where he will make arrangements for his passage to Bengal, India, where he is planning to leave for soon, to engage in missionary work.

Raymond M. Hering who has been here from Aberdeen, S. Dakota, on a two weeks visit with his brother Claude Hering of Xenia and sister Mrs. J. W. Gerlaugh of Alpha left for the North West Sunday.

Water will be turned off on North King street from Church Street to Fairground Road at 8 o'clock Thursday morning to repair fire plugs.

Xenia Lodge No. 49, F. & A. M. Special Communication, Friday, January 7, 1921, 6 o'clock p. m. Work in the E. A. & F. C. degrees. Visitors welcome. By order of J. W. Gardner, Sr. W. M.

Mrs. John B. Lucas, Wednesday at 2 p. m. was lying at the point of death at her home on Dayton pike, and little hope is felt for her recovery.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Clatt, of Jamestown, are announcing the birth of a daughter, at the McClellan Hospital, Monday.

Ralph Nevitt of Kenton, Ohio, spent the week end with his brother, Sewell Nevitt, in this city.

Society

HOSPITAL SHOWER GIVEN MONDAY

A hospital "shower" was an interesting feature of the January meeting of the Second Auxiliary of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church, held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. L. A. Parrett on West Third street. Supplies amounting to about thirty dollars were received for the use of a hospital in South Dakota.

The program for the evening was in charge of Group Four, with Mrs. Charles Evans, as leader. Those taking part in the program were, Mrs. Quisenberry, Miss Irene Parrett, Miss Agnes Hoornick, Mrs. Albert Tullis, and Miss Pauline Sutton.

A report was made to the Society of a Christmas box that had been sent to a student at the McCleskey Home at Tuscaloosa, Alabama. The penny collection taken among the fifty people present amounted to \$1.91.

The assisting hostess with Mrs. Parrett were Mrs. Ary, Mrs. Nordyke, Mrs. Anders, Mrs. Norckauer, Mrs. Whitmer, Mrs. Coates, Mrs. Sutton, Miss St. John and Miss Hornick, who served hot chocolate and cakes, after which a social hour was enjoyed. The meeting will be held with Mrs. C. L. Spencer.

ARE HOSTESSES AT DANCE AND PARTY.

The ladies of the parish of St. Bridget's Church were hostesses Tuesday evening to a delightful euchre and dance, given in the auditorium of the school. Over one hundred were present, at the affair, and euchre was enjoyed during the evening, nineteen tables being arranged for the game. The first and second prizes for the women were won by Mrs. Werter McKay and Mrs. Charles Carroll, the first prize for the men being won by Charles Roach, and the second by Timothy Canning.

A lunch consisting of hot coffee and sandwiches was served the guests. Later in the evening dancing was enjoyed by the guests.

Several out of town people were present at the affair.

ENTERTAIN WITH SUNDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gerlaugh of Alpha entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests in honor of her brother Raymond M. Hering of Aberdeen, S. Dakota. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mather and family of Dayton, Miss Anna A. Herbig, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hering and children of Xenia.

MARRIAGE OCCURS TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The marriage of Mrs. Luella Sparrow, of Yellow Springs, to Mr. Benjamin F. Mellinger, retired farmer of Yellow Springs, took place Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Wike, at 505 South Monroe street. The Rev. L. V. Simms, of Yellow Springs, officiating.

The couple had no attendants. The bride was attired in gold silk with hat to match. The ceremony was witnessed by Mrs. William Wike, Mrs. Margaret Wike, Mrs. Martha Walters, Rev. and Mrs. L. V. Simms. Following the service a three course supper was served the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Mellinger will make their home in Yellow Springs.

HOLD MEETING OF CLUB TUESDAY.

The Junior Woman's Club held their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Howard Little, on North King street. Following the roll call the paper of the afternoon upon William De Morgan, was offered by Mrs. Harry LeScourd.

A vocal solo was given by Mrs. Steele Poague, accompanied by Mrs. William Ruthrauff, with violin obligato by Miss Irene Parrett.

The second paper of the afternoon, "Mormanism," was then discussed, led by Mrs. S. O. Hale.

The next meeting of the Club, will be held January the eighteenth. An election of the ensuing year's officers will be held at this meeting.

ENTERTAINS MEMBERS OF LOCAL SORORITY

Miss Katherine Guilday was hostess to the Phi Gam Epsilon Sorority when she entertained members at her home on South Detroit street, Tuesday evening.

Miss Guilday entertained her guests with contests during part of the evening, and the remainder was employed by the guests with sewing.

A salad course was served by Miss Guilday.

The next meeting of the Sorority will be held at the home of Miss Julia Wolf.

FACES JURY WITH EASY ATTITUDE

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 5.—Elwood B. Wade, 23 mill dealer, charged with the murder of George B. Nott, broker, looked his mother and smiled as court convened today. For a few minutes before the bailiffs rapped for order, Wade, who looked tired and somewhat worried, soon was talking and laughing with his custodians.

Mrs. Ethel Nott, widow of the slain man, and John E. Johnson, a chum, who are charged with being Wade's accomplices in the murder, were not present when court convened.

Wade soon regained his debonair attitude. His jaw showed no traces of a deputy sheriff's blow, for the simple reason that Wade was not struck when he leaned over and kissed Mrs. Nott, yesterday as reported.

OLDEST MAN IN THE WORLD ILL FOR FIRST TIME IN 146 YEARS; BLAMES FALSE TEETH

Constantinople, Jan. 5.—For the first time in his life of 146 years, Zora Mehmed, who is said to be the oldest man in the world, is ill.

He is suffering from indigestion, for which he blames a set of false teeth.

All his working life Zora has been a carrier of heavy weights, ranging from 200 to 1,000 pounds.

During the Napoleonic wars he had a bet that he could lift 500 pounds with his teeth, and he ruined them in making the attempt. He got along for some time without any teeth, and then he obtained a set which wore out.

About twenty years ago he got another set, which, he says have always given him indigestion and have finally made him go to the hospital for treatment of the complaint.

Zora was born in Turkish Armenia, as the birth record in the mosque there shows, in 1774.

He has a son aged ninety and a young daughter of fifty. In appearance he is only about seventy.

POSTPONE HEARING ON TELEPHONE RATE UNTIL FEBRUARY 4

A second postponement of the hearing of the protest of the Chamber of Commerce against the new rate increase of the Central Union Telephone Company was announced by the State Public Utilities commission Wednesday.

The hearing has been postponed from January 10 to February 4. The rate increase was announced the first of November at which time the Chamber of Commerce filed an official protest against the new rates with the State Commission, and a hearing of the matter was set for November 30.

Before that date the commission announced that the hearing had been postponed until January 10. In the meantime the company put up \$5,000 to insure that if the commission decided against the rates, that patrons would be refunded the difference between the amount paid under the new rate, and the rate allowed by the commission. This original bond was for only one month at the new rate and whether this amount would cover a refund for November, December, January and February, in case the commission decides against the company on February 4, is not known.

Secretary L. C. Timley of the Chamber of Commerce said Wednesday afternoon that no notice of the postponement had reached him as yet, this paper receiving the announcement from its Columbus news bureau. He said that Attorney C. L. Darlington, who will represent the city at the hearing, will be notified of the postponement at once.

MILLIONS TO GO FOR IMPROVEMENTS

Washington, Jan. 5.—Refunding and improvement operations amounting to many millions of dollars were authorized today by the interstate commerce commission for the Baltimore and Ohio and the New York Central railroads and their subsidiaries.

The Baltimore and Ohio railroad was authorized to issue conditional sale purchase notes of \$20,570,629, for equipment purposes, to assume liability for \$5,200,000 as guarantor of an obligation of the national railway service corporation, and to pledge \$2,250,000 of refunding and general mortgage bonds in connection with the equipment trust. The commission also authorized the Baltimore and Ohio railway company to issue \$7,586,000 of refunding and general mortgage bonds to issue and pledge \$363,000 of certain other bonds. Several subsidiaries of the Baltimore and Ohio were authorized to issue and deliver to the parent corporation \$3,812,000 in bonds.

Financing upon an even larger scale by several subsidiaries of the New York Central railway were authorized by the commission. The Big Four railway was given authority to issue 16 promissory notes aggregating \$3,944,000 and two ten year promissory notes for \$4,560,000 and \$113,000, respectively to issue and pledge \$4,560,000 of refunding and mortgage bonds and \$4,189,000 of refunding and improvement mortgage bonds and to guarantee a certain note for \$113,000. All of these obligations were pledged to the New York Central.

Other New York Central subsidiaries were granted the following authority:

Toledo and Ohio Central railroad to issue notes for \$214,000; Zanesville and Western Railway Company a note for \$60,000; Kanawa and Michigan railway a note for \$256,000; Lake Erie and Western Railroad a note for \$609,000; Cincinnati Northern Railroad a note for \$112,000.

The Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio railroad was given authority to issue \$5,000,000 in 15 year cumulative income debentures.

SUSTAINS FRACTURED ARM IN ACCIDENT

Mrs. Edward Van Dyke, of near Cedarville, while enroute to this city Tuesday, sustained a compound fracture of the wrist and elbow, when the horse she was driving became frightened at a pony, and suddenly turned, overturning the buggy and throwing Mrs. Van Dyke out.

The injured woman was taken to the home of Mrs. Woodrow Warner, on East Third street. The accident happened on the Columbus pike.

LEAVE FOR FLORIDA

Mrs. R. S. Kingsbury and two children, Betty and Dorothy, left Monday for Daytona, Florida, where they will spend several weeks. Mr. Kingsbury accompanied them as far as Cincinnati, and will leave the fifteenth to join them at Daytona.

G. Osborn, judges of Municipal court, Columbus.

MOVE WASHINGTON HOSPITAL OF XENIA TO SPRINGFIELD

The Washington Hospital which has been located here for the last four years and has gained recognition from the government, will move to Springfield soon by special request of the colored people of said city.

This movement was initiated by the doctors and ministers of Springfield it is understood.

A large brick structure costing several thousand dollars has been purchased on the corner of Dilbert and Yellow Springs Sts. for the occupancy of the hospital.

Dr. H. R. Hawkins, who started the hospital here, has been secured as surgeon-in-chief. He will retain his local office in this city until the arrival of a successor.

Dr. Hawkins is well prepared to accept the offer of the position as surgeon, having graduated from the Homeopathic Medical College of Cleveland, Ohio, in 1892. Since then he has taken post graduate work at the Hanchman Medical College in Philadelphia and Mayo Brothers Surgical College. Also his successful experience of twenty years in this city and practice in the Washington Hospital augments his fitness for his new field of work.

ASK RECEIVER FOR CIGAR COMPANY

Mansfield, Ohio, Jan. 5.—A receiver and an accounting for the Hanten-roeder Cigar Company, an old established firm, is asked of the court by Herman E. Homberger, secretary and treasurer of the company. He says the stockholders voted Sept. 2, 1920, to liquidate the business but say they cannot agree on who shall settle the affairs. Homberger, charges mismanagement on the part of the other officers. The plant has been closed since November.

APPOINTED POLICE CHIEF OF MASSILLON

Massillon, O., Jan. 5.—Gottlieb Dommer, former lieutenant of police, was today appointed chief of police by Mayor Herbert H. Vogt. Dommer's appointment followed a successful civil service examination, test Tuesday. He succeeds former Chief E. M. Ertle, who resigned Dec. 15, after twenty six years service in the department. The new chief take charge of the office Thursday.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John Galen Dugan, 28, 480 South Grand Avenue, Springfield, machinist and Mary Lucille Gray, 27, Cedarville, librarian. Rev. W. P. Harrisman.

B. F. Mellinger, 65, Yellow Springs, retired farmer, and Mrs. Luella Sparrow, 58, Yellow Springs, dressmaker. Rev. Simms.

With The Women of Today

The number of women receiving government appointments is growing daily. Washington has an ever increasing colony of women holding responsible government positions. The name applied to them now is the "women's cabinet." One of the most recent additions to this colony is Dr. Nora E. Dowell.

Dr. Dowell has been appointed assistant geologist in the United States geological survey. This is the first time that this position has ever been held by a woman. Dr. Dowell has long been prominent as a geology student and has done much research work. She is said to be ably fitted for her new post.

HELD BY SOVIETS

Mrs. Marguerite E. Harrison, a newspaper correspondent covering the soviet situation in Russia, was reported held as hostage by governmental authorities in Moscow. Another report comes through the soviet trade headquarters in New York that the first report is untrue. Mrs. Harrison is being held, it is reported, for the purpose of attracting attention to propaganda.

COURT NEWS

FILES STATEMENT.

Frank L. Johnson, appointed assignee of the Higgins & Phillips clothing store, has filed a statement of assets and liabilities in Probate Court, and has appointed H. D. Ruhlman in charge of the store.

U. S. IS OPPOSED TO OCCUPYING RUHR

Washington, Jan. 5.—The United States is at present opposed to occupation of the Ruhr valley by the French because of alleged failure of Germany to fulfill the disarmament provisions of the treaty of Versailles, it was learned officially today.

State department officials are making a study of the situation. The United States while desiring that Germany fulfill the provisions of the treaty, is not in favor of too great pressure upon Germany, it was learned.

WILSON WILL NOT SUCCEED GOMPERS

Washington, Jan. 5.—Reports that Secretary of Labor Wilson would be a candidate for president of the American Federation of Labor to succeed Samuel Gompers, were emphatically denied at the offices of the Secretary today. Secretary Wilson has no ambition to hold office in the federation, it was stated by officials of the department of labor, who are close to him.

THEATER TICKETS CHEAPER

New York, Jan. 4.—Reduction of the price of theatre tickets in various cities has been followed in New York by the productions of Sam H. Harris, President of the Producing Managers Association, effective last night, the top price will be \$2.50 instead of \$3. In making the announcement, Mr. Harris expressed the hope that other managers would take similar action.



Dr. Nora E. Dowell.

WOMEN AS JURORS

The question of permitting women to serve on New York juries is up for discussion in that state. Mrs. Pauline C. Field, attorney and president of the Criminal Bar association, has asked that the law prohibiting women from serving be amended by eliminating the word "male" from the qualification which reads, "a juror must be a male citizen of the United States." Frederick Byrne, commissioner of jurors, approved the bill. The bill will make women subject to contempt of court and the regular fine if they do not obey the summons to serve.

TAKES ROOSEVELT'S PLACE

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Sr., played Santa Claus at the Cove Neck school house in Oyster Bay, N. Y., taking the place of the late Colonel Roosevelt, who for twenty-five years dressed like Santa Claus and handed out gifts and sweets to the youngsters. Dr. Richard Derby husband of Rachel Roosevelt, who had been a student at the school in the last quarter of a century, assisted Mrs. Roosevelt. This is her first appearance in that capacity since the death of her husband.

COLDS

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Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks any cold up.

The very first dose opens clogged nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—Insist upon Pape's!

Got a Car to Sell

Find your best market through the classified. For in that way you may get in touch with people who really need a good used car—and you may steer clear of speculators.

Editorial

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DID WE HELP OR HURT BY "ENTANGELING ALLIANCES" AFTER THE WAR?

London Dispatch, January 1st, 1921: "Never has the new year opened with the outlook so obscure as 1921, for never has the whole world been confronted with such difficult problems as it faces for the coming twelve months. In the past, individual countries and empires have been threatened with and have suffered destruction, but never has the entire world been threatened with disaster as it is threatened today. After the Napoleonic wars, Europe suffered from trade depression and social unrest, but in those days every nation was, for all political purposes, self-contained and able to support its relatively small population out of its own production. Now nations are not self-contained and they cannot support their relatively small populations out of their own resources unless they have the power to sell to other countries the surplus of those things which they can produce and to buy from other countries whatever they cannot produce themselves.

"There is a real danger of nations not being in position to buy or sell even as much as they did in 1920 and consequently it seems to be practically certain that an era of privation and suffering will in the next twelve months be extended to every country in the world in greater or lesser degree."

This certainly is a gloomy outlook, and just at the time that we were congratulating ourselves that we were bettering things. We were feeling proud that we had stopped war, and through the League of Nations we were going to inaugurate peace the world over. Surely the stoppage of the war was a move in the right direction, but have we bettered matters by tearing the nations apart and trying to readjust them? Who can answer this mighty question?

HERE'S HOPING 1921 MAY TREAT US BETTER AS A NATION THAN 1920 DID.

Everybody is glad to see an old year go, for however hopefully we start out with it (and we always start that way), we are usually convinced before it is over that we made a mistake in picking it—it is the year ahead, that is going to work the marvels for us. "Man never is but always to be blest."

The old world was broke and couldn't buy our products, and huge stocks that had cost the top notch to produce remained on our hands. The result was a stoppage everywhere. People wouldn't buy and merchants canceled their orders. Then, of course, the factories had to shut down, and it doesn't take an economist to know that throwing people out of employment doesn't start buying. One of our biggest business men, whom we call the farmer, was caught with a tremendous production which had cost him war prices to get ready for market and for which the year 1920 provided no market. The farmer's cattle that he had been boarding at hotel prices wouldn't fetch their keep. His wheat that had been planted and harvested and hauled and warehoused by the most expensive labor ever known on a farm—collapsed in price almost out of sight.

That's what 1920 did to business, which is to say it did it to everybody for the way we're all interlocked in the modern industrial system—farmer, manufacturer, merchant, wage earner—one can't be knocked down without the whole row of dominoes following. We all went down, and 1920 stood around and watched us try to get up. Being down, government thought it a favorable opportunity too, to load a few more taxes on our backs—and that didn't help us to get up. Strange, too, government seemed to think it would.

That seems to be a fair and unprejudiced statement, if a brief one, of the kind of a year 1920 was. It was a period we may hope is going now if not gone. At any rate here is a new year, and anything new is promising.

EACH FAMILY PAYS \$200 A YEAR.

The government, so far as finances are concerned, is simply a panhandler. When it wants money it writes to the folks, and all it gets is letters from home. If it spends 4 billion or more a year, it asks every family to contribute on the average \$200 apiece to support it.

Two hundred dollars a family is a lot of money. It keeps millions of people busy scratching to raise it. Every head of a house would find it much easier to support his family if he didn't have to send that \$200 to Washington.

That is why people are incensed by the extravagance of the government departments that make no effort to hold down expenses, and particularly by the action of men like Secretary Baker, who enjoys spending other people's money, and who now proposes to throw away Camp Funston while asking for 4 million dollars as a starter for permanent barracks at Camp Pike, an army post that for some reason has caught his fancy.—Exchange.

"I SHOULD BE ASHAMED TO GRUMBLE OF MY OWN BURDENS WHEN I VIEW YOURS, JOHN!"



NEW CURRENCY TO MAKE APPEARANCE IN FRANCE, REPORT

A new form of money is about to make its appearance in France. This new currency, according to information received from its Paris correspondent by the Bankers Trust Company, of New York, will be coins made from a composition of bronze and aluminum. It will replace the emergency paper money issued during the war in two, one and one-half franc denominations. The new money will affect reform in French "pocket money" by providing small change that is more convenient, durable and sanitary than the paper bills.

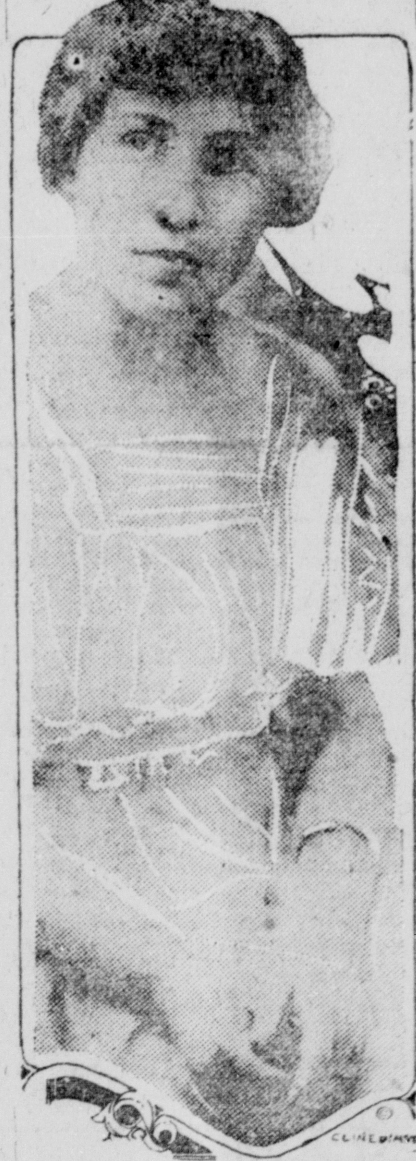
The two franc, one franc and 50 centime bills, because of the depreciation of French money, have been used as small change along with the old ten and twenty-five centime coin with the result that they have been submitted to wear which small paper bills cannot long withstand. These paper bills were issued temporarily by the various Chambers of Commerce in France under a special agreement with the Government under which an equal amount of Bank of France notes are deposited in the Bank of France by the Chambers of Commerce for paper money which they issue.

The small paper currency will be withdrawn as fast as the new coins are issued. Since there is some difficulty in securing the metal necessary to make the coins it is estimated that it will take two or three years to complete the change. It is difficult to secure an exact statement of the amount of small paper money to date. It is certain however that the figure is at least four hundred million francs. The amount actually in circulation is about three hundred million, one million having been either reimbursed or kept by collectors or destroyed by use.

The new coins or "jetons" will be acceptable throughout France and will be issued under the responsibility of the Ministry of Finance the Chambers of Commerce serving merely as the distributing medium.

Because of the shortage of nickel and copper coins as well as small bills, the handling of street car fares and small purchases has caused general embarrassment for some months. The Compagnie Generale des Omnibus which controls practically all the surface lines in Paris has applied to the city authorities for permission to issue small coins of its own for facilitating the payment of fares. These coins when issued will be produced by a private firm and will be acceptable only as fares.

REPRESENTATIVE'S DAUGHTER MARRIES SOUTHERN DOCTOR



Mrs. Bert O. Edwards. Dr. and Mrs. Bert O. Edwards are honeymooning in Florida. They were married recently in Washington. The bride was Emorie Doughton, daughter of Rep. and Mrs. Robert L. Doughton of North Carolina. Dr. Edwards is a prominent physician in Asheville, N. C., where the couple will reside.

AMATEUR DEFEATED BY GREENLEAF

New York, Jan. 5.—Ralph Greenleaf, national pocket billiard champion, defeated J. Howard Shoemaker, amateur title holder, 300 to 275 in two nights play at the New York A. C.

FLORIDA FETES GOVERNOR Tallahassee, Fla., Jan. 5.—Cary A. Hardie, Democrat, took the oath as Governor of Florida as the climax of the most elaborate inauguration day fete in the history of the state. Governor Hardie succeeds Sidney J. Catts.

PORTIA TAKES PLACE ON CLEVELAND BENCH

Cleveland, Jan. 3.—Portia, sat for the first time on the common pleas bench of Ohio today, when the oath of office was administered to Florence L. Allen and she assumed her position on the bench in the criminal division.

Judge Allen took hold of the routine of the court procedure like an old timer and decided the questions of evidence and law raised by the contending attorneys with speed and dispatch.

NONPARTISANS DOWNED

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 5.—Permanent organization of the Minnesota Legislature was effected. Rep. W. I. Nolan, of Minneapolis was elected Speaker of the House over Rep. Erling Swensen of Minneapolis, candidate of the Labor Non-partisan faction by a vote of 102 to 26.

SHIPPING SALE POSTPONED

Washington, Jan. 5.—Indefinite postponement of the sale of surplus shipping materials on the Pacific Coast was announced tonight by the Shipping Board. The material had been advertised by the board for sale by competitive bids January 14. No explanation accompanied the board's announcement.

ELECTORS TO MEET MONDAY

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 5.—The New York State Electoral College composed of 41 men and 4 women, will meet here Monday to cast ballots as electors for Senator Warren G. Harding for President and Governor Calvin Coolidge for Vice President. Engraved ballots, in the form of a card will be used.

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Generous size bottle 25c. If you are troubled with constipation or sick headache try Hamlin's Wizard Liver Whip. Just pleasant little pink pills at druggists for 25c.

THRILLING STORY COMES TO LIGHT

(Continued from page 1.)

Throughout the afternoon and night of the 14th the men trudged through the snow. Fortunately there was little if any frost in the air. They had taken with them all the provisions left on the balloon including the three carrier pigeons.

On the 16th the men began to despair. They realized they were lost and began to fear that they would perish in the wilderness. By this time all the food had been eaten and two of the three carrier pigeons were killed and eaten.

Note: The account fails to say what happened to the third pigeon. It is possible it may have been released with a message and lost its way. This part of the dramatic story will not be revealed until the men reach the railroad here or at Mattice.)

On the 17th just as the men had about decided to abandon themselves to their fate they reached the Moose river. The sight of this river gave them fresh hopes. They believed that if there was any settlement at all in the wilderness, it would be upon a stream of water.

Plunging through the deep snow, halting tottering and exhausted, the balloonists finally discovered tracks in the snow. Their hope was strengthened and they fought their way forward with renewed confidence.

After a tortuous journey the men came upon an Indian trapper, a hardy fellow who was getting his winter catch for sale to the Hudson Bay Company in the spring. This Indian, Tom Marks, by name, was on a hunting expedition and was looking after his traps. When he caught sight of the three white men he was overcome with fright and disappeared in the brush.

The sudden and mysterious appearance of three white men in the heart of that desolate snow waste was enough to cast fear into a heart even less bold than that of Tom Marks.

Two of the men wore uniforms of the U. S. Naval Air force. The third was in his underwear. All were nearly spent and showed marks of exposure and starvation.

(The fact that only two of the white men wore uniforms is another part of the narrative that has not yet been cleared up.)

The men kept on and finally reached Moose Factory more dead than alive. Their appearance at the trading post caused a great sensation among the employees of the little store and fort, especially among the few superstitious Indians who looked upon the white men as spirits out of the air.

The Hudson Bay employees took the Americans in and gave them the best of care. They were put to bed under layers of thick, warm furs and hot drinks were administered. After a long sleep they were given a hearty meal and at the end of 24 hours were ready to start for the edge of the

white man's world. The traders at the post were astonished to learn that the balloonists had left New York only a few days before. And in fact this furnished one of the most dramatic features of the entire adventure. Within a short 24 hours the men had passed from the metropolis of the western world—New York City—to the heart of a virgin wilderness. From a city teeming with life and the seat of railway, steamship and street car lines to the midst of a desolate land, untrodden by the foot of man and without any of the necessities or comforts of a civilized land.

A party of trappers set out on December 18 to recover the balloon but the men returned again that it could not be carried through the deep snow.

The Hudson Bay post employees at the request of the Americans sent out one of their runners to Mattice to send a telegram to New York. Lieut. Kloor wrote the message and this telegram was the first word that the world had of the rescue of the balloonists.

Plans were then made for a second expedition for the balloon later on. After resting over Christmas in the trading post, where they had a feast of venison steak, the Americans set out in sledges guided by Indian runners.

(Note: According to the Anglican minister account the men were leaving Moose Factory on December 26 but the Americans had reported in their telegram of last Sunday to the Rockaway naval authorities that they would depart on December 27.)

The Rev. Hawthorne White, the Anglican minister at Moose Factory, quoted the balloonists as saying they could have stayed in the air only a few hours longer as they had thrown out all their ballast.

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By Walt Mason

THE PEPTIMIST.

The peptimist is one who works with most exceeding vim, and sets example to the shirks who may keep tab on him. So many men, with dragging feet, go to their tasks each day, with frowns they shuck the ears of wheat and thrash the pales of hay. With scowls they ply the shinin' g saw or wield the useful churn; they're only happy when they draw the pay they think they earn. An I when there is a slump in trade, and workmen must be fired, these delegates are first to fade—they've made the bosses tired. The peptimist has taken pride in labors safe and sane, whatever tool he may have plied, a corkscrew or a plane. He did not go with dragging step when morning whistles blew; in every motion there was pep, no sulky fits he threw. And when a slump in trade appears, and workmen are laid off, the boss announces, through his tears, "We'll keep this hustling toff. We can't afford to let him go, he's such a useful man; we'll keep him, though to Toin and Joe we must attach the can." The peptimist is in demand wherever commerce dwells; he makes his progress through the land, and wears his string of bells.

MAIL PLANE IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 4.—A United States air mail plane was destroyed by fire with 200 pounds of mail here today following, a spectacular landing by pilot F. F. Borgs, in the heart of the residential district. Borgs set out for Reno this morning and 2,000 feet up his motor stalled. On account of a heavy fog there was absolutely no visibility and trusting to luck the flyer coasted down. Fifty feet above their tops he discovered the residences lining Gough street near Hayes. Borgs maneuvered his plane so as to affect a landing in the car tracks of Gough street. The motor trouble resulted in the plane bursting into flames upon landing. Borgs escaped unhurt.

NINETY EMPLOYEES OF P. R. R. AND FRIENDS ATTEND BANQUET

Ninety Pennsylvania road officials, friends and fellow employees of Howard Norris, who retired as supervisor of telegraph and signals in the electrical and mechanical department, January 1, were seated at the banquet given in his honor at the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening.

The chicken banquet was the climax of an informal reception held for Mr. Norris at four o'clock, and was prepared and served by the wives of employees of the telegraph and signal department, with Mrs. B. L. Hughey in charge.

Following the banquet Charles E. O'Brien, who succeeded Mr. Norris as supervisor on the Cincinnati division and the C. L. & N. road, introduced B. H. Barnett, signal maintainer of the telegraph and signal department at Cincinnati, who presented Mr. Norris with a purse of gold in behalf of his fellow employees.

The purse containing the gold pieces, was a cleverly originated hack, sealed with a regulation car seal, and with the black train block post bearing the red, yellow and green signal lights of the Pennsylvania System, embroidered on one side. On the other were embroidered the letters "S. D." for Signal Department and the date "1921." Shepherd's Entertainers furnished music during the banquet, and at the conclusion of the affair, there was an informal reception in the parlors of the club. The banquet was given by local employees of the railroad, the committee being headed by B. L. Hughey, assisted by W. H. Kepler.

Seated with Mr. Norris at the table was his son, Clarence Norris, who is supervisor of telegraph and signals at Akron, Ohio, his brother Harvey Norris, who is track foreman at Newcomerstown, Mrs. Howard Norris, Mrs. Isabelle Pierson, Mrs. Harvey Norris, Howard Brown and Mrs. Loretta Brown.

Officials and employees who took part in the affair were as follows: B. L. Hughey, of Xenia, signal inspector; C. E. O'Brien, Xenia, successor to Mr. Norris; J. A. Cosby, Terrace Park, Captain of police; H. C. Kirby, Cincinnati, division operator; W. E. James, Cincinnati, general division accountant; J. G. James, Cincinnati, chief superintendent's clerk; John Kiely, Xenia, who was also retired the first of the year; C. R. McNamee, Xenia, round house foreman; Roy Ohlinger, Xenia, assistant road foreman of engines; T. P. Everhard, Cincinnati, man of engines; S. L. Mider, Cincinnati, trainmaster; S. N. Deacon, Xenia, retired master carpenter; J. E. Daly, Xenia, assistant trainmaster; W. R. Torrence, Xenia, freight agent; H. T. Freshour, Cincinnati, assistant division engineer; F. N. Crowell, Terrace Park, division engineer; W. D. Sigel, Xenia, master carpenter; C. P. Woodson, supervisor of telegraph and signals, at Columbus; E. B. Pry, supervisor of telegraph and signals at St. Louis; O. Boles, supervisor of telegraph and signals at Richmond, Ind.; W. P. Halstrom, supervisor of telegraph and signals at Ft. Wayne, Ind.; M. J. Coffey, Cincinnati, chief division clerk; Patrick Fannon, Loveland, supervisor; A. J. Cannyn, Xenia, supervisor; John Guidry, Xenia, supervisor; J. W. Kildow, Cincinnati, supervisor; D. J. Durrell, Terrace Park, master mechanic; Mr. Lemnick, Ashtabula, supervisor of telegraph and signals; W. H. Kepler, Xenia, store keeper; Charles Mackrodt, Xenia, lieutenant of police; J. R. Laycock, Xenia, Harry Evers, Xenia, retired baggage master; F. A. Hodson, Paul B. Evers, R. G. Bath, Michael Powers, H. C. Green, O. C. Hill, Frank Jacobs, Robert Terrell, Geo. Floesser, M. A. Bailey, George Stemmer, John O'Brien, A. W. Spaulding, M. B. Shepherd, C. S. Van Horn, Charles Kennedy, William Maxwell, Stephen Ritter, C. M. Tuttle, E. F. Ludlow, W. H. Hamilton, Alfred Quist, L. F. Beckman, M. J. Cusick, G. L. Doughman, Charles Bowers, R. E. Jones, B. H. Barnett, G. P. Jeffries, L. E. Smith, Oscar Maley, George Brown, John Ryan, John Crow, F. L. Bath, R. C. McElfresh, William Mider, C. T. Haas, Rudolph Weber, Russell Halstead, E. P. Allen, William Moran and James Richards.

he was 25 went to Athens to study philosophy, came back "cured of his faults," and as he says "a changed man."

Shortly after his return he married a very dominating woman. It is supposed that he thought of defending Cataline, but his wife persuaded him to speak against him. Although he sometimes quarrelled with Caesar, he was a firm friend of the conqueror and was very much grieved when he was murdered. At various times during his career he was obliged to take refuge in literature (which amounted to a voluntary exile) to save his life.

Although the new emperor Octavian desired to save him, he was killed and his head and hands were sent to Rome after Fulvia, wife of his enemy, Marc Anthony, had thrust a hair pin through his tongue. His last words were "Let me die in the country which I have so often saved," a remark which seems to show that he was well aware of his own importance to the glory of Rome.

SPRING VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Marlette and little daughter of Springfield have been spending the holidays with Mrs. Marlette's mother Mrs. Rosa Smith.

Mrs. Roy Irons of Amanda, Ohio, has been visiting her mother Mrs. Eva Wyson.

Class No. 3 of the Friends Sabbath School held a social and watch party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Holland Friday evening. This class of which Mrs. J. C. Mason is teacher combined with the class that Mr. J. C. Mason teaches and wired the Mason home for electric lights for their Christmas present.

The Weller sisters entertained a number of their friends at a watch night party.

Mrs. Thomas fell the other day but escaped serious injury.

Mrs. DeWitt Thompson has been spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Anabee.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Eyes and daughter of Springfield were the guests New Years Day, of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Moore.

Mr. Daniel Stump has returned from a two weeks visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Moore entertained at dinner Sunday, Mrs. Robert Mannington, Mr. and Mrs. John Hanby and Miss Delsie Moore of Dayton and Mr. Othe Moore.

WILL RETIRE WHEN ALL MONEY IN U. S. TREASURY COUNTED

Washington, Jan. 3.—When John Burke, United States treasurer, has counted all of the money in Uncle Sam's coffers he will retire from public life, he announced today.

Burke announces that his resignation has been filed with the secretary of the treasury and he has asked to be relieved of his duties at the earliest moment.

Under the law a retiring United States treasurer must make a count of the moneys in the public treasury before a change in office. This will take about one week, Burke estimates.

Treasurer Burke will join the private banking and brokerage firm of Cardos and Company in New York and the future firm name will be Cardos and Burke.

MILLS WILL RE-OPEN.
Hutchison, Kan., Jan. 3.—The Larches flour mills in Hutchison, closed for more than a week will reopen in a week or ten days.

THINK WELL

Before Placing Your Savings in Investments Promising High Returns

- 1 There is no substitute for safety.
- 2 The lure of high profits leads only to a day of vain regret.
- 3 Real estate, after all, is the foundation of all security.
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- 5 Are the safest securities in our Nation.
- 6 We offer each depositor the full protection afforded by our thousands of good first mortgages.

7 The Buckeye State Building and Loan Co., Rankin Bldg., 22 West Gay St., Columbus, Ohio.

8 Assets over \$29,600,000.00. Five per cent on time deposits.

Is It Yours

THIS IS THE BIRTHDAY OF CICCERO

Cicero was the greatest orator in Roman history just as Demosthenes was the greatest orator in ancient Greece. Every girl or boy who studies Latin is obliged to translate some of Cicero's orations, usually his most famous one against Cataline.

Marcus Tullius Cicero was born in the small town of Arpinum in Italy 106 years before the birth of Christ and he was killed near Rome in the year 43 B. C. As Rome derived all her greatness from Greece it was natural that her prominent men should be sent there to study. Cicero who had taken up literature at an early age, and who had even made a name as a politician when

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JANUARY CLEARANCE OF READY TO-WEAR

LOWER PRICES ALREADY IN EFFECT MAKE THE VALUES OBTAINABLE AT THE JANUARY SALES OF GREATER THAN USUAL MERIT THIS YEAR.

SUITS AT JANUARY SALE PRICE

January Sales disclose startling values now to be had in our complete stock of season's suits.



5 suits, All Wool, Plain Tailored Models in Velour and Tricotine, Values up to \$39.75, Sale Price **\$19.75**

22 Suits, Plain Tailored and Fur Trimmed in Velour, Tricotine, Silvertone and Oxford in Navy and Colors, Values up to \$59.75, Sale Price **\$25.00**

7 Suits, Trimmed in Hudson Seal and Squirrel, also plain tailored styles, in plaid and checked Velours, Duvet de Laines and Tinseltone, Values up to \$75.00, Sale Price **\$39.75**

4 Suits, Dressy Embroidered Models, Mole and Hudson Seal Trimmed, Sale Price **\$49.50**

6 Suits, of Duvet de Laine, Frost-Glow, Peachbloom, with Australian Chinchilla, Nutria and Russian Squirrel Collars, Values up to \$98.50, Sale Price **\$59.50**

COATS AT JANUARY SALE PRICE.

Coats bought now are done so at noteworthy savings.

Coats bought now are done so at Hudson Seal Collars, Values up to \$75.00, Sale Price **\$49.50**

Coats of Bolivia, Silvertone, Silvertip Bolivia, Yalama and Evora, Values up to \$65.00, Sale Price **\$39.75**

Coats of Frost-Glow, Normandy, Velour and Silvertone, Plain and Fur trimmed Values up to \$49.50, Sale Price **\$25.00**

Coats of Silvertone, Normandy, Velour and Heather Mixtures, Full and Half Silk Lined, Values up to \$25.00, Sale Price **\$15.00**

HIGH GRADE PLUSH COATS

Plush Coats of Prybiloff Simulation Fur, Values up to \$125.00, Sale Price **\$69.50**

Plush Coats, with Natural Raccoon Collar, Values up to \$75.00, Sale Price **\$49.50**

Plush Coats, Values up to \$49.50 **\$35.00**



CHILDREN'S COATS AT HALF PRICE IN JANUARY SALE

All Children's Coats, size 2 to 14 years, in styles and fabrics that are varied.

\$9.95 Children's Coats, Sale Price **\$4.98**
\$16.50 Children's Coats, Sale Price **\$8.25**
\$19.75 Children's Coats, Sale Price **\$9.88**

WOOL FROCKS AT JANUARY SALE PRICES

All the latest modes, tailored or trimmed with embroidery, beading or stitchery. Prices make it economy to buy for early Spring Wear.

\$59.50 Navy Tricotine Dresses, Sale Price **\$39.75**
\$49.50 Navy Tricotine Dresses, Sale Price **\$34.75**
\$39.75 Navy Tricotine Dresses, Sale Price **\$24.75**
\$25.00 Navy Tricotine Dresses, Sale Price **\$14.95**

JUNIORS' AND MISSES' WOOL DRESSES AT HALF PRICE

This includes dresses from 8 to 16½ years in Peter Thompson and dressy models.

\$6.95 Navy Serge Dresses, Sale Price **\$3.38**
\$7.50 Navy Serge Dresses, Sale Price **\$3.75**
\$9.95 Navy Serge Dresses, Sale Price **\$4.98**
\$10.75 Navy Serge Dresses, Sale Price **\$5.38**
\$12.50 Navy Serge Dresses, Sale Price **\$6.25**
\$15.00 Navy Serge Dresses, Sale Price **\$7.50**

JUNIORS' AND MISSES' GINGHAM DRESSES IN JANUARY SALE

Flapper Dresses in Plaids and Plain Chambrays, \$5.50 values Sale Price **\$3.95**



FURS AT HALF PRICE IN JANUARY CLEARANCE

Scarfs of Wolf, French Lynx, Geanet Sable, Black Lynx and Black Fox reduced to One Half Price.

\$7.50 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$3.75**
\$12.50 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$6.25**
\$15.00 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$7.50**
\$17.50 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$8.75**
\$25.00 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$12.50**
\$35.00 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$17.50**
\$100.00 Scarfs, Sale Price **\$50.00**

CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' FUR SETS HALF PRICE

\$3.95 Fur Sets, Sale Price **\$1.98**
\$9.95 Fur Sets, Sale Price **\$4.98**
\$12.50 Fur Sets, Sale Price **\$6.25**

BLOUSES AT JANUARY SALE PRICES

Georgette Blouses, sizes 36 to 54, in White, Flesh, Beige, Navy, Black, and Suit Shades at attractive prices.

\$6.95 Georgette Blouses, Sale Price **\$3.95**
\$8.95 Georgette Blouses, Sale Price **\$5.95**
\$9.95 Georgette Blouses, Sale Price **\$6.95**
\$12.50 Georgette Blouses, Sale Price **\$7.95**
\$13.50 Georgette Blouses, Sale Price **\$9.95**
\$15.00 Georgette Blouses, Sale Price **\$11.95**

One Lot Georgette Blouses and Crepe de Chine Blouses Values up to \$7.95, Sale Price **\$2.95**

HANDSOME BLOUSES OF BATISTE AND ORGANDY IN JANUARY SALE

One Lot Georgette Blouses and Crepe de Chine Blouses, Values up to \$7.95, Sale Price **\$2.95**



\$12.50 Blouses of Satin, Sale Price **\$7.95**
\$15.00 Blouses of Tricolette, Sale Price **\$9.95**
\$8.75 Blouses of Tricolette, Sale Price **\$5.95**
\$5.95 Blouses of Tricolette, Sale Price **\$3.95**
\$5.95 Pongee Waists, Sale Price **\$3.95**
\$9.95 Crepe de Chine Blouses, Sale Price **\$6.95**
Jersey Overblouses, special **\$5.00**
\$5.95 Hand Made Blouses, Sale Price **\$3.95**
\$7.95 Hand Made Blouses, Sale Price **\$4.95**
\$9.95 Hand Made Blouses, Sale Price **\$6.95**
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Sizes 2 to 6 years.

Of Gingham, White Organdy and Dimity at January Sale Prices.

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\$1.95 Dresses, Sale Price **\$1.49**
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WOMEN'S PORCH AND HOUSE DRESSES

In Checks, Stripes, Plaids and Plain Gingham, \$6.50 Values, Sale Price **\$3.95**

Middies at January Prices

White Middies, with colored and Flannel collars, Values up to \$3.50, Sale Price **\$1.95**

SILK PETTICOATS AT CLEARING PRICES

Silk Taffeta, Jersey and Satin Petticoats in an assortment of colors Values up to \$9.95, Sale Price **\$5.95**

Jersey Petticoats, all colors Specially Priced at **\$5.00**



UNDERMUSLINS AT GREAT SAVINGS

Some are slightly soiled, others are fresh and new, all are greatly reduced.

Envelope Chemise, slightly soiled, \$1.50 Values, Sale Price **75c**

Envelope Chemise, slightly soiled, \$1.95 Values, Sale Price **98c**

Envelope Chemise, slightly soiled, \$2.50 Values, Sale Price **\$1.25**

Envelope Chemise, slightly soiled, \$3.95 Values, Sale Price **\$1.97**

Jobe Brothers Company

ANNOUNCE WRESTLING BOUT JANUARY 17TH

Bill Brooks, local wrestling match promoter, is arranging for another wrestling show to be staged at the opera house Monday January 17.

In spite of the lack of support at previous shows, Brooks is continuing in his efforts to interest local people in the mat game.

The coming matches will feature a finish match between Paul Bowser, of Newark, midweight champion of world, and holder of the Police Gazette belt, and Young Dimotrol the Greek wrestler from Pennsylvania.

The match will be up as booty and Bowser will either have to throw or draw his opponent to keep the coveted championship honors.

In the preliminary Bill Brooks, will wrestle Kid Miller of Newark.

CLIFTON BASKETBALL TEAM INCREASES LEAD

The Clifton basketball team, leaders in the Clark County Rural Community league, with four games won and none lost, increased its lead at the Springfield Y. M. C. A. Tuesday night by defeating North Hampton, 26-17.

The game was extremely hard fought, the North Hampton lads leading at the end of the half 10-8, and still maintaining this lead up until the last five minutes of play, when the Clifton quintet forged into the lead. Antioch and Cedarville College stars make up the Clifton team, Roger Collins, coach of Cedarville, being the shining star of the Tuesday night game. The lineup and summary:

Clifton (26) North Hampton (17)

Northrup If ... C. Bowman

R. Collins rf ... Jenkins

J. Collins c ... McFarland

W. Corry rg ... W. Bowman

Edwards lg ... E. Jenkins

Substitutions: Walter Corry for J. Collins; J. Collins for Willis Corry; Field goals: R. Collins 5, Northrup 3, J. Collins 2, Edwards 2, Walter Corry 1, E. Jenkins 2, C. Bowman 2, McFarland 2, Jenkins 1. Foul goals: E. Jenkins 1.

WISHES SHE HAD TAKEN THE ADVICE

Would Have Saved Lots of Suffering If She Had Taken Tanlac Three Years Ago.

"If I had only heeded my sister's advice and taken Tanlac three years ago I would have saved myself a world of suffering," said Mrs. J. W. Marshall, 1112 So. Fifteenth St., Toledo, Ohio.

"For ten years I suffered from stomach trouble and nervousness and finally got so bad I was miserable all the time. I had to guard carefully against eating any solid food, for if I did my stomach would cramp me till I'd want to scream. Often the hurting would continue for hours and bring on choking and smothering spells.

"I never got a good night's rest and always felt dead tired, and got so weak I dreaded to attempt to do any housework. I got fearfully blue over my condition, and wondered if there wasn't any medicine anywhere that would help me.

"After reading several Tanlac testimonials I remembered my sister in Indiana had tried three years ago to get me interested in Tanlac, so I made up my mind to try it and I soon found it was the right medicine for me. Right from the start I began to improve and now after taking three bottles I am feeling just fine.

"I am stronger than I've been before in ten years and I sleep as sound as I ever did. I never enjoyed my meals more than I do now, and continually have to guard against eating too much, for I'm hungry all the time.

"I am glad to tell of the good Tanlac has done me and hope many other people now suffering may be helped by it."

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EAST END NEWS

Rev. G. V. Becton entertained in honor of Mr. Alfred Leach a few young people at the residence of Miss Lulu Mae Varner, Friday. Those invited were Misses Emily Pitts, Flora Leach, Mattie Lewis, Thelma Hurst, Ora Locust, Clifford Green, Clarence Smith and Lorenzo Harris. Miss Evan Purnell who has been the holiday guest of Miss Lena Mae Oglesby, East Main Street will leave for her home in Millersburg, Ky., Thursday.

Curtis Wiggington, East Market street delightfully entertained a number of his friends Tuesday evening at the home of his mother Mrs. Jessie Roark, East Third street. The evening was spent in a social way with games after which a delicious refreshment course was served. The out of town guest was Miss Eva Purnell of Millersburg, Ky.

The night school at Lincoln building has opened and a good attendance is expected now for the balance of the term.

The students who are attending schools and college have all resumed their studies after spending a very pleasant vacation at their home. Mr. J. S. Ayres received a message from his son, Lt. W. Cassella T. Ayres that he had been re-appointed Assistant Postmaster of the General Assembly at Columbus for another two years, and started his duties, Monday, January 3rd, with the convening of the Legislature.

Thursday January 6th East High fast basket ball quintet will clash with the National's of Springfield at the Xenia Rink at 8 p. m. There will be a preliminary game played before the big contest. The teams to be engaged in this "preliminary contest" will be announced later.

Miss Lulu Mae Varner and Rev. Becton entertained last Friday evening at her home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leach of Chicago.

All members of St. John A. M. E. Choir are requested to meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the pastor's study. Business of importance to be transacted. Let every member be present.

TREASURER BURKE RESIGNS

Washington, Jan. 5.—John Burke treasurer of the U. S. announced his resignation, effective upon the appointment of his successor.

ISSUES CALL FOR BANK CONDITIONS

Washington, Jan. 5.—The controller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of national banks as of close of business Wednesday, Dec. 29, 1920.

Pontius Issues Call

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—State Banking Supt. Pontius today issued a call for the condition of state and private banks as of Dec. 31.

Is It Yours

THIS IS THE BIRTHDAY OF
STEPHEN DECATUR

January 5, 1779

One of our early great naval commanders, Stephen Decatur, was born in Maryland in 1779. His father had been on the sea, in fact, had been in command of a ship which was used to capture British vessels during the Revolution. After the war he settled in Philadelphia, then in Maryland.

At 19, Stephen began his naval career—the manner then was to become a "middy" on a vessel. He distinguished himself first when, with a few men he stole into the harbor, set fire to the boat and got away again under a raking fire with the loss of only one man wounded. Nelson said it was "the most daring exploit of the age," and Decatur was an international hero for a long time.

He was made a captain and given a sword by Congress and served all through the war with Tripoli. In the war of 1812, his ship captured one of the British vessels, but later when he had command of New York harbor, he was blockaded by the British and his flagship fought against four English ships. He was captured and as much honored by his foes as his countrymen for the way he fought. He was killed a few years later in a duel with a man who thought Decatur had said something against his good name.

DEPUTY STATE FIRE MARSHAL IS DEAD

Word comes from New Vienna of the death of John B. Pemberton, Deputy Fire Marshal. Mr. Pemberton is well known in Wilmington and throughout the state where his work has carried him.

While Mr. Pemberton has been quite active in business circles it was generally known among his friends that he was afflicted with stomach trouble of a long standing and his death was due to this trouble.

Mr. Pemberton is survived by his wife and two daughters, Mrs. Donald Carey, of Iowa, and Bessie who lives at home, and one son, Fred Pemberton of Columbus.

Funeral services were held at the home at 2 o'clock this afternoon.—Wilmington News-Journal.

EXPLOSION CAUSE OF TWO DEATHS

Williamson, W. Va., Jan. 5.—Dis-membered and mutilated bodies of two men were found this morning at Gates, ten miles east of Williamson, after dynamite explosion during the night had alarmed the inhabitants of that community. The identity of the men and the cause of the explosion have not been ascertained, according to reports made to Colonel Herman Hall, in command of the battalion of U. S. troops on duty in Mingo county strike area and to Sheriff A. C. Pinson.

DRINK VENDER INDICTED.

Laporte, Ind., Jan. 5.—A new feature was added to the automobile accident in which August Kueher was killed Christmas Eve, and Miss Bonnie Hawkins, school teacher was injured seriously when Louis Roule, soft drink vender, was arrested, charged with having sold a drink to Kueher in quantities sufficient to cause his intoxication.

The "Heal-All" of the Indians

There is an herb which grows wild on our Western Plains known as "Manzanita" and to which the Indians attribute wonderful curative and healing virtue.

There is no question but that nature has bounteously provided in the roots and herbs of the field a remedy for many of the ills to which human flesh is heir. This is demonstrated by the wonderful success of that root and herb medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for more than forty years has been relieving women of America from some of the worst forms of female ills. It will certainly pay any woman who so suffers to try it.

Wedding Invitations

Announcement Cards

Calling Cards

Monogram Stationary

Prompt service and reasonable prices.

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FROM RHEUMATISM THERE IS A WAY TO HEALTH

(Wednesday Health Talk No. 18.)

(By G. C. DONOHOO, D. C.)

Rheumatism is one of the most persistent diseases. Most sufferers from rheumatism are able to find temporary relief, but the man with the "rheumatiz" expects it to give him twinges of pain on every occasion, particularly when it is about to rain.

Rheumatism is caused by the absorption of poisons into the blood. The kind of rheumatism may be any one of several varieties, but the chiropractor has invariably found pressure on spinal nerves that regulate the healthful action of kidneys and bowels. Chiropractic spinal adjusting removes the nerve pressure, and restores the natural nervous vigor to bowels and kidneys. When enough adjustments are taken to build up the spinal cartilages and restore nerve freedom, the relief is very apt to be permanent.

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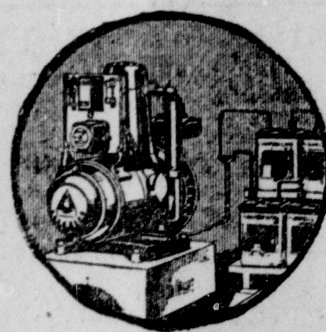
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NOTE—Owing to cost of production and iron-bound contracts, "Way Down East" will never be shown at less than first-class theater prices.

ORPHIUM TO-NIGHT

"WANTED AT HEADQUARTERS"

A 5 reel special attraction featuring MISS EVA NOVAK, LLOYD SEDGWICK and others. The most daring criminal plot ever conceived by human mind.

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TWO—BIG FEATURES—TWO

Executor's Public Sale

The undersigned will offer at public auction at the residence of the late W. A. Collins on the Clifton and Wilberforce pike 6 miles northeast of Xenia, 4 miles south of Yellow Springs and 3 miles west of Cedarville.

THURSDAY, JAN. 13th, 1921

Commencing at 12 o'clock sharp, the following property:

2—HEAD OF HORSES—2
One brown mare, 12 years old, weight about 1400, perfectly gentle, and a splendid worker in all harness. One black mare, 5 years old, fine disposition.

8—HEAD OF CATTLE—8
One Jersey cow, giving good flow of milk; 1 Polled Jersey cow; 1 Roan Shorthorn cow; 1 Red Shorthorn cow, all of which will be fresh soon after the sale; 1 yearling steer; 1 yearling heifer; 2 heifer calves.

42—HEAD OF SHEEP—42
Consisting of 18 Shropshire Ewes; 23 Lambs and 1 Shropshire Ram.

36—HEAD OF HOGS—36
Consisting of 6 brood sows; 3 fat hogs; 14 feeding shoats; 12 weanling pigs and 1 Duroc boar.
ONE-HALF INTEREST IN 25 ACRES GROWING WHEAT.

FEED

72 shocks corn in field; about 12 tons silage; 2 tons timothy hay; 3 1/2 tons Alfalfa.

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One McCormick binder; McCormick mower; grain and fertilizer drill; corn planter; 2 cultivators; disc harrow; spike harrow; roller; breaking plows; 2 hay rakes; tedder; 2 wagons; 2 sleds; spring wagon; storm buggy; 6 horse International gas engine; power feed cutter; Scientific feed mill; fanning mill; platform scales; circular saw; manure spreader; feed boxes; sheep racks; 4 steel tanks; 4 step ladders; 3 hay forks, rope and pulleys; complete set of carpenter tools; chest and work bench; set blacksmith tools, including forge, anvil, vise and other necessary tools; butchering tools; 2 fence stretchers; steel posts; wire fence; forks; shovels; rakes, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Several hundred feet of good seasoned oak lumber.

CHEVROLET AUTOMOBILE Run less than 4,000 miles.

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All sums of \$10.00 and under to be cash in hand, above that amount a credit of six months will be given purchaser to give bankable note with 2 approved securities. Notes to bear 7 per cent interest from date.

A. G. COLLINS,

Executor of the Estate of W. A. Collins, Deceased,

Cedarville, Ohio, Route 2.
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H. C. WILSON, Auctioneer.
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Bread, 3 loaves for	25c
Longhorn cream cheese, pound	35c
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Mother's Aluminum oats, package	40c
Bulk rolled oats, pound	5c
All Jellos and Jiffo Jells, box	12 1/2c
Post Toasties and Corn Flakes, 2 packages	25c
Seedless and seeded raisins, large package	33c
No. 1 Bernard Bros. Coffee, pound	30c
Bulk Sauer Kraut, pound	10c

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Saturday afternoon child's brown purse, between Bijou and Kennedy East Store, 1007 Bell. 3-6

LOST—Black traveling bag, on Jamestown pike, Friday night, containing Christmas packages. Liberator, 446 W. North St., Springfield, Ohio. 1-6

LOST—Gold rimmed nose glasses in case. Reward John Turner, R-2 Wilmington, Ohio. 1-5

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 112 West Second St. 1-5

WANTED—Sewing and all kinds of fancy work, such as beading, braiding and crocheting. Bell 991. 1-11

LOST—White and black spotted fox terrier, in or around Cedarville. Reward. Call Chas. Graham, Cedarville. 1-10

STRAYED—One tan colored Collie dog, notify D. M. Kennon, C-2, 2129 S. 1-6

WANTED

WANTED—To buy second hand cash register. 1231 Wayne Ave., Dayton. 1-7

WANTED—Baled hay and straw. See Belden Milling Co. 1-6

WANTED—White oats. Belden Milling Co. 1-6

WANTED—Washings to do at home. 1-6

WANTED—5000 Rugs to clean. The Hamilton Beach Carpet Cleaning Co. Expert Carpet and Rug cleaners. Special machinery for dry cleaning rugs. Any size. Work called for and delivered. Carl Scott and R. E. Holmes. Props. Bell phones 406W-586R-2. 637 East Main St. Xenia. O. 1-5

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FOR SALE LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Shorthorn Jersey cow and calf. Irvin Hoffman, Cit. phone. 1-6

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow and calf. Two big type. Poland China hogs. Acceptable plant and fixtures. W. C. St. John, Jamestown, Cit. 13 on 145. 1-6

MARE—Driver, will sell cheap or let out for her feed. John Harbino, Allen building. 1-11

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Try the wonderful egg producer and dairy feed. Choice hay at 1 1/2c per lb at East End Feed Store Columbus St. Bell 897-J. 1-10

FOR SALE—Borderland Black coal. C. O. Miller, elevator, Trebels, O. 1-5

LOOK—Save the old suit, have it dry cleaned, steam dyed, pressed. Repairing and mending neatly done. 25 N. Main St. upstairs. 1-6

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn rooster. Cit. 2 on 828. 1-7

LOANS ON EVERYTHING—Notes and bonds bought, farms, houses and lots for sale. John Harbino, Allen building. 1-11

HAY BALER with engine for sale \$200. John Harbino, Allen bldg. Telephone. 1-15

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SECOND HAND STORE—Fishback's 635-7-9 East Main. Buys and sells clothes, shoes, furniture, carpets, etc. G. 324. 8-17-21

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FOR SALE—Hay. Inquire Roy Fields, Yellow Springs. 4322 Bell phone. 1-8

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FOR SALE—A good base burner, also coal. Will sell cheap. Call Bell 675 W. 535 W. Second St. 1-5

FOR SALE—Reed baby carriage. Price \$5. Call 229 Red Citizens. 1-6

FOR SALE—Small iron safe, combination lock, good condition, and Ford motor and hood cover. J. H. Whitmer, 22 East Market St. 1-10

FOR SALE—Cook and heating stoves, wood, coal, gas or gasoline stove, refrigerator, and all kinds. Andy Pohl, Second Hand Store, 15 West Third Street. 2-23

FOR SALE—Jewel ledger binder, holds 800 leaves. Phones 298. 1-7

FOR SALE REAL ESTATE.

A. L. TRESISE—Real Estate, Farms and City properties for sale. 161W Bell phone 161W. Office Citizens Bank Bldg., Xenia. O. 7-11F

LONG & MARSHALL, Real Estate Men. We sell or buy your farm properties. We will loan you money. See us. No. 19 South Detroit St. Gazette bldg. Both phones. 8-29C

FOR SALE—Jan. 4, 10:30 a. m., at auction, at residence on Ankeny mill road, 2 1/2 miles from Xenia. 50 hogs, 7 cattle, 2 horses. WM. NEATHINGTON. 1-5

JOHN W. PRUGH, The Real Estate Man will buy or sell your property. Money to loan. Twenty years successful business. Offices No. 6 North Detroit St. Both phones. 6-11F

FOR SALE—Modern house, frame, two story, six room and bath. Splendid neighborhood on Cented College St., Yellow Springs. O. For particulars call Bell phone 125Y or 15Y. 1-6

GRIEVE & HARNES, Xenia, O. REAL ESTATE A SPECIALTY. If you want to buy, sell, borrow, loan, rent, exchange or collect see us. All ways on the job. Both phones. 1-8

FOR SALE—12 room house and large corner lot, 738 East Church St., gas and city water, large barn. Address Adam Mabrey, Homestead Hotel, King's Mills, Ohio. 1-2

PUBLIC SALE

PUBLIC AUCTION—Saturday, Jan. 8th, at one o'clock in the afternoon I will sell at public auction at my residence on North Collier street, between Main and Market, household goods consisting of one kitchen cabinet, gas range, kitchen table, dishes, bed room extension table, side board and six chairs, sofa and rocking chairs, iron bed and springs, 9x12 rug and other small articles. Terms cash. R. R. Grieve, Auctioneer. J. R. SUTTON, 1-7

PUBLIC SALE—Jan. 12th at 10:30 a. m., at my residence on the Martha O'Connell farm, 4 miles south of Cedarville, just off the Federal pike. 4 horses, 8 milk cows, 8 head brood sows, 19 sows, working harness, implements, feed, etc. Webb & Taylor, Clerk. Ed. Sutton. 1-7

PUBLIC SALE—Jan. 13th, at 12 o'clock sharp, at the residence of the late W. A. Collins on the Clinton and Wilberforce pike, 5 miles north of Xenia, 4 miles south of Yellow Springs, and 3 miles west of Cedarville. Two horses, 1 head of cattle, 42 sheep, 36 hogs, corn in field, silage, timothy hay, alfalfa hay, implements, Chevrolet automobile. H. C. Wilson, auctioneer. J. E. Hastings, clerk. 1-7

PUBLIC SALE—Jan. 6th 1921, at 10 a. m., at our residence 6 miles north of Xenia, 5 miles west of Yellow Springs, off the Federal pike. 14 horses, 150 Big Type Poland China hogs, 42 Shropshire sheep, 47 dairy cattle, harness, dairy utensils, chickens, farm implements, etc. Moul & Weikert, auctioneers. Kendig & Long, Clerks. FRANK RUTZONG & SON. 1-7

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Five rooms cottage on Cottage ave. Bell 670-R. 1-2

FOR RENT—Living room for gentleman in Gazette bldg. Call at 7-12

AUCTIONEERS.

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THE XENIA GARAGE COMPANY. Bell Phone 97. Opp. Shoe Factory. Cit. phone 193. Xenia, O. 1-11

FOR SALE HOUSEHOLD GOODS. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and stoves of all kinds bought and sold. Do repair work. John's Second Hand Store 31 N. Kipe St. Bell 738 Cit. 137. 1-13

SLUMP IN EXCESS PROFITS TAX IS CAUSE OF LOSS. Washington, Jan. 4.—Slump in excess profits taxes was the chief cause of a \$300,000,000 drop in ordinary receipts of the treasury in the first six months of the fiscal year ended Feb. 31. The December record of income and profits taxes consisting chiefly of the collections of the fourth installment on December 15, stood at \$664,923,000 as compared with \$888,942,000 in December, 1919.

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When you work too hard, you get fatigued. You probably keep it up for days, perhaps months, without feeling any bad effects. Sooner or later it tells in your blood. You are not yourself.

It is then your blood needs the help of that great tonic, Pepto-Mangan. It is a wonderful remedy that physicians have recommended for thirty years.

But be sure you get the genuine Pepto-Mangan. Ask for "Gude's" "Gude's Pepto-Mangan" is on the package. You can buy it in liquid form or in tablets, whichever you prefer; one has the same ingredients as the other and gives the same effect. Advertisement.

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MARKETS

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Cattle—Supply, Light; Market, Steady; Choice, \$15.00@12; Prime, \$11.50@12; Good, \$10.75@11.50; Tidy Butchers, \$11@11.50; Fair, \$8.50@10; Common \$8.50@10; Common to Good Fat Bulls, \$3@6; Common to Good Fat Cows, \$6@8; Heifers, \$8.50@10; Veal Calves, \$18.50; Hogs—Receipts, 1600 head; Market \$1@1.25 higher; Prime Heavy Hogs, \$12; Mediums, \$12.75; Heavy Yorkers, \$12.75; Light Yorkers, \$13@13.25; Pigs, \$13@13.25; Roughs, \$7.50@10; Stags, \$7.50@10.

Sheep and lambs—Supply, 1,000 head; Market, Steady; Prime Wethers, \$6; Good Mixed, \$5@5.75; Fair Mixed, \$3@4; Culls and Common, \$1.50@2; Lambs, \$12.50.

EAST BUFFALO

Cattle—Receipts 125 head; Market, Dull; Shipping Steers, \$8.50@11.50; Butcher Grades, \$7@10; Heifers, \$7@9.25; Cows, \$7@7.50; Bulls, \$2.50@7; Milk Cows and Stringers, \$4@12.50; Calves—Receipts, 225; Markets, Active; Cull to Choice, \$5@19; Sheep and lamb—Receipts, 1800; Markets, Active; Choice Lambs, \$12@12.50; Cull to Fair, \$7@11.75; Yearlings, \$8@10; Sheep, \$3@7; Hogs—Receipts, 2,400; Market, Active; Yorkers, \$11.50@11.75; Pigs, \$11.50@11.75; Mixed \$11@11.50; Heavy \$10@10.75; Roughs, \$8.50@8.75; Stags \$5.50@7.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

Hogs—Receipts 25,000; market steady; bulk 9.25@9.75; top \$9.90; heavyweight 9.20@9.45; medium weight 9.35@9.50; light weight 9.50@9.90; Right lights \$9.90@10.00; heavy packing sows, rough \$8.50@9.00; packing sows, rough \$8.25@8.50; pigs 9.50@10.00.

Cattle—Receipts 11,000; market, the stock steady to lower; steers steady; choice and prime 11.25@12.50; medium and good 9.25@11.25; good and choice 10.25@12.00; common and medium 7.50@10.25; butcher cattle, heifers 5.75@10.50; cows 5.25@9.00; canners and cutters, cows and heifers 3.50@5.25; canner steers 4.25@6.00; veal calves (light and heavyweight) 11.00@12.00; feeder steers 6.25@9.25; stocker steers 4.25@8.25; stocker cows and heifers 4.25@6.25.

Sheep—Receipts 13,000; market 25c higher; lambs (84 lbs. down) \$10.00@11.25; lambs, culls and common 7.50@8.50; yearling wethers \$8.00@9.50; ewes \$3.25@5.00; ewes, culls and common 1.50@2.75; breeding ewes \$3.50@5.00; feeder lambs 8.00@10.25.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Wheat opened 3-4 to 1-4c lower; corn 1-2c higher to 7-8c lower; oats unchanged to 1-8c higher; provisions unchanged. Opening: Wheat, March 1.72@1.72 1/2; May 1.67 1/4@1.66 1/4.

Corn, Jan. 68 1-2c; May 74 5-8@ 74 3-8c; July 75 1-4@75 3-8c.

Oats, May 49 5-8@49 1-4c; July 48 7-8c.

Lard, May \$13.50.

Ribs, May \$12.12.

STORE KEEPER IS BEATEN AND ROBBED. Dayton, O. Jan. 5.—Beaten into unconsciousness and left for dead upon the floor of his feed store, Samuel Hurwitz, 35, was found with his pockets inside out and his cash register rifled last night. He is now in a semi-conscious condition at a local hospital and police are looking for a well dressed stranger and a dark green car, in which the former was seen leave the store.

WILSON DAM PLAN KILLED. Washington, Jan. 5.—The House rejected by a vote of 125 to 132 an amendment to the sundry civil appropriation bill proposing to add \$10,000,000 to the measure as it came from the Appropriations Committee for work on the Wilson dam, part of the Muscle Shoals (Alabama) nitrate project. The action was taken in the Committee of the Whole House after two days of debate on the item. A final vote of the House will be necessary.

GARAGE DESTROYED. East Liverpool, O. Jan. 5.—Thirty automobiles were ruined in a fire of undetermined origin, which destroyed the Columbiana garage, a one story brick building, at Columbiana at noon today. According to reports from Columbiana, the fire was confined to the garage. The loss is estimated at \$30,000 partially covered by insurance.

SMITH ENDS PUBLIC CAREER. New York, Jan. 4.—Alfred E. Smith, retiring Governor of New York ended a career of 22 years in public life when he shed his hat and coat in the offices of the United States Trucking Corporation and went to work as Chairman of its Board of Directors. The former Governor announced he would never be a candidate for public office again.

TELEPHONE MERGER CHANGES NAME OF LOCAL BELL FIRM

The Central Union Telephone Company under which name the local Bell interests have been known, will henceforth be known as the Ohio Bell Telephone Company, according to the announcement of H. W. Cleaver, manager of the Xenia branch.

The change in name was affected through a merger of the Ohio interests of the Central Union Company with the branch known as the Cleveland Telephone Company, and the new name will be applied to all of the Bell interests in this state.

The Central Union Telephone Company operated in three states, according to Mr. Cleaver, the company covering Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. The deal with the Cleveland Telephone Company effects only the Ohio interests, the old company retaining its interests in Indiana and Illinois.

INSTALL OFFICERS AT GRANGE MEETING

An interesting meeting was held Tuesday night of the Caesarcreek Grange, No. 2123, with the installation of the following officers, by S. H. Shawhan, the County Deputy, Master, J. R. Middleton; Overseer, C. B. Hazzard; Lecturer, Helen Haines; Treasurer, Frank Lucas; Secretary, O. C. Colvin; Steward, Albert Lewis; Assistant Steward, Wayne Middleton; L. A. Steward, Mary Jones; Gate Keeper, Claud Jack; Ceres, Mary Esther Haines; Flora, Verna Hoffman; Pomona, Cordia Miller; Business Agent, Albert Jones.

Short talks followed by Representative Bryson who outlined the Farm Bureau in the County, State and nation. A few reports were given by County Supt. Barnes followed by a short report by County Deputy Shawhan of the state Grange.

RAINBOW GIRL TO PLAY HERE JAN. 29

"The Rainbow Girl," the musical comedy in which Miss Katherine Shoup, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Marcus Shoup of this city, has the leading role, will appear in Xenia at the Opera House January 29, instead of January 18 as previously announced.

It was through the fact that Miss Shoup's home is in this city that the Standard Amusement Company was able to secure the offering in this city. A rearrangement of itinerary made the change in dates necessary and Miss Shoup and her supporting company will come here direct from Columbus, following an engagement at the Hartman theater in that city.

The company played at the Murphy Theater, Wilmington, earlier in the season, when many Xenians had the opportunity of seeing the local girl, but it is expected that the piece will attract even more attention when it plays here.

JUDGE KYLE GIVES COX RESIGNATION

Judge C. H. Kyle, newly appointed member of the state board of clemency, went to Columbus Wednesday, and will assume his position on the board Friday.

At the same time Judge Kyle will hand in his resignation of the Common Pleas Court bench here to Governor Cox, whose duty it is to appoint a successor to fill his unexpired term on the bench. The term of Judge Kyle would have run until February 9, at which time Judge-elect R. L. Gowdy will assume office.

It will be necessary that Governor Cox appoint a successor to Judge Kyle immediately. Attorney M. J. Hartley, Democrat, has been named to fill the unexpired term in rumors current in this city. Hartley while admitting that he had heard such rumors, said that he had received nothing official on the rumored appointment.

WILSON URGED TO ACCEPT. Washington, Jan. 5.—A joint resolution instructing President Wilson to accept the invitation of the League of Nations to appoint an American representative on the league's commission on disarmament was introduced by Representative Alvin T. Fuller of Massachusetts, Republican.

RUSSIAN FUND QUESTIONED. Washington, Jan. 5.—A report showing the total of all government funds given to aid the Kerensky Government in Russia is requested of the Treasury in a resolution by Senator George W. Norris, of Nebraska, Republican, adopted today by the Senate.

STUDEBAKER CO. TO OPEN. South Bend, Ind., Jan. 5.—The Studebaker Corporation will resume work on a schedule production of 90 automobiles daily Jan. 10, it was announced here today. The output will be increased gradually until it reaches 500 cars daily it was said.

ALMA GLUCK ILL. Grand Rapids, Jan. 5.—Alma Gluck, grand opera singer, who was to have appeared here last night was forced to cancel her engagement by an acute attack of laryngitis which developed shortly after she left Chicago Monday. A throat specialist has advised that she take a complete rest for several days.

MUST RAISE TRACK. Washington, January 4.—Orders of the Board of Public Utilities of Paterson, N. J., requiring the Erie Railroad to elevate its main line so as to eliminate 15 grade crossings in that city, were held valid by the Supreme Court.

Facsimile Of De Valera's Farewell Message

"Land of the Free and Home of the Brave"—
—Farewell! May you ever remain, as I have known you, land of the generous, hearted and the kindly. May you stand through time as they would have you who love you—liberty's chosen champion, and oh may you never know yourself the agency of a foreign master's look.
I came to you on a holy mission the mission of freedom; I wanted to my people who sent me, not indeed as I had dreamt it with its mission accomplished, but withal with a message that was alive in the dark days that have come upon them and that will inspire the acceptance of such sacrifices as must yet be made.

So fare well—Young, night, fortunate land; no wish that I can express can measure the depth of my affection for you as my desire for your welfare and your glory. And farewell the many dear friends I have made and the tens of thousands who, for the reason that I was the representative of a noble nation and a stirred appeal, your—honours they desired to please—you will not need to be assured that Ireland will not forget and that Ireland will not be ungrateful.
Eamon D. Valera
Dec. 1920

Facsimile of the message written in President De Valera's own handwriting on two sheets plain note paper just before he

left this country to return to Ireland, where he has arrived in safety. It was secured exclusively by the International News

Service and released following the announcement of Harry Borland, his secretary, that De Valera had reached Ireland.

Beauty Chats

CORRESPONDENCE

Fre—Sallow skin on the neck is very often the result of collars that rub the neck, irritating the skin and often rubbing in dirt or disease. Use a cleansing cream on the neck before you take your daily bath. Do not try to use peroxide on your little girl's hair. Children's light hair often darkens as they grow and it is more becoming in the new shade. You may use the juice of half a lemon in the rinse water to lighten it, and you may give it as many sun baths as possible.

Anne—If you will rub the part of the face where the superfluous hair grows with a little pumice stone it will keep down the growth, but be sure you do not irritate the skin. Rubbing it with a solution of half peroxide of hydrogen and half ammonia will discourage this growth of hair, but probably will not kill it. Pulling the thick hair out will not bring in a heavier growth.

BIG STEEL COMPANY ANNOUNCES CUTS

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 4.—Just before noon today, the Jones & Laughlin Steel company, largest of the independents, announced a reduction in selling prices on pipe and other tubular products to the level of the industrial board prices established March 21, 1919. This is an average reduction of \$7 per ton on all classifications of pipe goods. There are so many percentages, lengths, shapes and sizes that detailed quotations are not practical, it was stated. This brings all pipe prices to the level now quoted by the National Tube Company, of the United States Steel corporation. It was also stated that these prices are rock bottom and there will be no further cuts. The Republic Iron and Steel company, of Youngstown, made the first break in pipe prices last week.

BRINGING UP FATHER



NEW BURLINGTON

Trevor Haydock and family spent Sunday with his brother James Haydock and family near Oakland.

Earl White of Kokoma, Indiana has been the guest of his aunts Miss Emma White and Mrs. Etta Moss.

Mrs. Josephine Blair and family entertained relatives Sunday in honor of her grandson Herman Blair and bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson of Dayton were the week end guests of Mrs. Josephine Blair.

Miss Lulu Ewing is confined to her bed with illness.

Mr. Oscar Taylor and sons Carl, Robert and John of near Alpha were guests of William Ewing and family this week.

The whooping cough is among the children. Only 19 out of the 20 primary children being in school on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. William Compton were called to Beecroft by the illness of their daughter Mrs. Robert Stanley.

Mr. Reynolds of Xenia visited during the Christmas season with his friend Lewis Robinson at his home in South Burlington.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. Church meet Thursday afternoon at the parsonage.

The W. F. M. S. will meet Saturday afternoon January 8th at the home of Mrs. Edward Steddon.

Miss Eleanor Haydock entertained a number of young people at her home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stephens entertained several young people Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. Stephens sisters Katharine and Alice Swonger of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Barwell Miller and baby and Miss Nellie Dunlap visited their brother Earl Dunlap and family at Middleton this week.

Miss Louise Carr of Spring Valley spent the week with her son Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr and family east of town.

Miss Erma Evans of the Xenia pike spent a few days this week with her cousin Miss Alice Carr.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

When looking up at stars I feel
Like being honest,
strong and wise -
I wish that I could
always keep
A little starlight
in my eyes.



TWENTY YEARS AGO

Manager Schmidt of the rink is arranging to give dancing soirees on each Thursday night, which will no doubt be greatly appreciated by the young people. He is sending out some very neat invitations for these weekly dances.

Mr. Frank Lucas, one of the night brakemen in the Little Miami yards has been suffering from rheumatism for a few days past and has been unable for duty.

School will be resumed on Monday, when the hundreds of children throughout the city will again resume their tramp with books and slates. One of the things that has added greatly to the enjoyment of the youngsters is the excellent skating which the various ponds have afforded, and the children have made the best of their opportunities and have enjoyed it to the utmost.

The contractors are beginning to make inquiries for plans and specifications for the new system of sewers to be put in by the city. The commission is now preparing to advertise for bids for the work but it will be several weeks before the contract can be let.

The residents of Orient Hill are circulating a petition for the construction of a new school building for the accommodation of the children of that part of the city. Most of the children now attend the Central building and the Hill residents want a building nearer home and

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

MENU HINT.
Breakfast.
Cereal Country Sausage
Apple Sauce Coffee
Cornmeal Luncheon
Cheese Fondue Spice Rolls
Tea
Dinner.
Cream of Turnip Soup
Boiled Mutton Savory Sauce
Scalloped Potatoes
Steamed Squash
Loganberry Gelatine

NOVEL RECIPES.
Salted Pecans.—Blanch nuts in boiling water. Remove from water and dry thoroughly. Mix with a very little salt, spread on oiled paper and dry in a slow oven.

Creamed Cabbage.—Wash the cabbage thoroughly and cut in pieces. Cook in boiling salted water half an hour or until tender. Drain, chop fine and to each two and one-half cups cabbage add one and one-half cups of white sauce. Pour into a buttered shallow baking dish and sprinkle with buttered crumbs. Bake in moderate oven until crumbs are brown.

Fried Parsnips.—Boil parsnips until tender, then drop in cold water and rub off the skin. Cut in inch slices, season with salt, then dip in flour on both sides and brown. Or the parsnips may be mashed, mixed with seasonings and flour and shaped like meat cakes and fried.

Marguerites.—Beat two eggs thoroughly. Add one cup brown sugar, one-half teaspoon salt and a few drops vanilla and beat until light. Add one-half cup sifted flour and one-quarter teaspoon baking powder mixed with three-quarters cup chopped nut meats, reserving a few nuts for garnishing. Pour into well-buttered pans and

bake in a moderate oven. Whole or hopped nuts may be put on top of the cakes just before baking.

OLD-FASHIONED PIES.
The crust used for this class of pies is usually referred to as "plain crust," though it is quite rich enough for the purpose. It is made by rubbing a half cup each of butter and lard into two and one-half cups of bread flour or three cups of pastry flour, adding a saltspoon each of salt and baking powder. When thoroughly mixed add enough ice water to make a soft dough. This quantity makes two medium sized pies.

New England Apple Pie.—Line the pie plate with the crust already described. Pare, quarter and core a half-dozen tart apples, then slice them thin. Fill the pie plate, dot the apples with little lumps of butter and sprinkle with a half cup of brown sugar.

Take a teaspoon of ground ginger and a heaping teaspoon of flour and beat smooth with three-quarters cup of New Orleans molasses. When well mixed pour over the apples and put on the top crust, leaving the usual vents for escaping steam, but sealing the edges well together.

This pie is apt to cook out in the oven, and the addition of a little paper cone at one of the vents is a help in carrying away the steam more quickly, which is one of the causes of its cooking out.

Dixie Cinnamon Apple Pie.—For one large pie one quart of sliced apples is required; the pie plate is lined with a layer of pastry and filled with the sliced apples. A cupful of sugar, a tablespoon of flour and some powdered cinnamon are sprinkled over the apples and, last of all, a quarter of a cup of water. It is baked in a moderate oven for forty-five minutes.

The Woman He Married

BY JANE PHELPS

A DISCUSSION ABOUT CLOTHES CHAPTER 56.

"That's a stunning dress!" Dick said when on Sunday I put on my Felice gown to wear to church. "It's all nonsense that women can't look well unless they bankrupt a man for clothes. That looks a million dollars. I suppose it is because you have good taste and know what to buy."

"I am glad you like it," I returned. I well knew Dick thought I had purchased my dress with the \$40 he had given me. He would expect me to get a waist of it as well. I almost laughed aloud at his ignorance. How easy it was for a woman to fool a man about clothes. Yet I hated myself for the thought. Dear old Dick! I would be awfully glad when I didn't have to, when I could say openly: "I bought this dress at Felice's and it cost—" whatever it did.

Really I should be ever so much happier. It wasn't natural for me to deceive; rather, it hadn't been when I was a girl at home. But in New York one saw so many beautiful things, the women were so chic, and one couldn't dress without spending money. So I had done things I would not have dreamed of doing at home. And Dick would be no happier—if he knew—than would I when the necessity for deceiving him was passed.

So I argued, stultifying conscience.

There was one thing I could not do without—would not—that was handsome stylish clothes. I tried to save in other ways, pinching in buying for the table, although I took great pride in my cookery; doing

believed I had a woman do, so that I might have a hat, gloves or shoes like those Mildred Stowell wore.

I never even considered that Mr. Stowell was a wealthy man, and Dick only a clerk. I went out with Mildred, and so I wanted, perhaps naturally, to look as well as she did.

It is a great mistake—I found out by bitter experience—to attempt to keep up social relations with people in a different social and financial strata. It costs to be in society, costs both money and time. To be just on the fringe, to know one or two people who have and can do so much more than is possible for one's self, leads to all sorts of things—temptation, trouble, divorce, et cetera. But like all foolish young women, I saw nothing of that then. To me it was most desirable to be known as Mildred Stowell's friend and intimate. I felt proud when Clara Watson and Laura Burbank acted jealous because I had lunched with Mildred, or been invited to a bridge or a dinner at her home. I recall once Laura said:

"I couldn't go if I were invited, so it's just as well I don't know them."

"Why couldn't you go if you were asked?" I inquired.

"I couldn't afford to return her invitations, and I should feel under obligations, something I hate. Then I couldn't afford the clothes to train with her crowd. I don't see how you can."

"You forget Dick's father left him some money!" I explained rather some of the heavy work, that Dick loathes. I would have liked to say

more, but I was always afraid the girls would say something before Dick, and he would blurt out something to embarrass me. So I changed the subject as I always did when money was talked of.

But I had no objection to discussing clothes. I showed the girls my new dress I had bought of Felice. They had seen it when I gave my dinner for Dick's sister, but wanted to examine it.

"It is perfectly lovely!" Laura enthused. "I'll bet you paid a big price for it."

"Not so much. You see, Mrs. Stowell is such a wonderful customer that they made special prices to her and her friends. Then too, I have all the time I want to pay for them."

"You mean that you run in debt for clothes?" asked Laura in a horrified tone.

"Certainly! Why not? It is more convenient at times to pay than at other times. Why not take advantage of it?"

"Those smart places are awfully particular! I'll bet she would not have trusted you five cents worth if she didn't know Dick's father had left him something."

"I am going to her at once and have a gown if it's the last thing I ever do!" declared Clara.

"I wish I could, but Tom and I promised each other to save for a home, and I couldn't be so extravagant," Laura said, but a little sigh escaped her as she again looked at my gown.

TOMORROW PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE.

BOATS IN DISTRESS.

London, Jan. 5.—A Lloyd's dispatch from t. Michaels, Azores, reports that the American steamship Faraby has been wrecked after dragging her anchors in a gale and going ashore. The British steamship Palmon has sent a wireless message that she has encountered a heavy gale, and is in distress in latitude 55 north, longitude 11.35 west.

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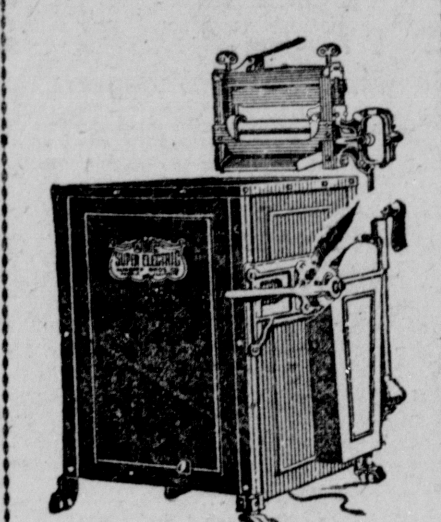
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